Town Clerk

Annual Report

OF THE

TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE

Town of Tewksbury

For the Year Ending Dec. 30,

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TOWN of TEWKSBURY

LIST OF TOWN OFFICERS—1939

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DEPUTY TREE WARDEN

HARRIS M. BRIGGS, JR.

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CYRIL L. BARKER LAUCHIE McPHAIL
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BOARD OF SELECTMEN

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DEPUTY FOREST FIRE WARDENS

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CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

ALDEN S. HAINES

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BOARD OF SELECTMEN

JANITOR OF TOWN HALL

GEORGE K. JAMES

FINANCE COMMITTEE

(Term expires 1942)

PHILIP M. BATTLES HARRY P. NASH

LOUIS BERUBE MARK ROPER

(Term expires 1941)

WINTHROP S. BEANE JOHN H. KELLEY

SAMUEL CROWN ELMER OLSON

(Term expires 1940)

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JAMES W. BANCROFT

CARETAKER OF SOLDIERS' LOT

WINTHROP JONES

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

Records of Warrants and Proceedings of the Town Meetings —

Records of Births, Marriages, and Deaths.

Statement of Money Paid the Town Treasurer on Account of Dog Licenses, Money Paid the Division of Fisheries and Game, Money Paid the Town Treasurer for Town Licenses Issued, and Town Clerk Fees Paid to the Town Treasurer.

Births recorded in the Town of Tewksbury

For the Year 1939

No.	Date of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Parents
1A	Jan. 1	———— Bussiere	Leo and Margaret
2A	Jan. 19	George Charles Auttelet	George and Helen
3A	Jan. 24	———— Garside	David and Marion
4A	Feb. 6	———— Roper	Mark and Mildred
5A	Feb. 12	———— Ahlman	Kurt and Beatrice
6A	Feb. 18	———— Compton	Clarence and Marjorie
7A	Mar. 1	———— Hazel	Charles and Helen
1	Mar. 3	Betty Ann Morgan	Henry and Genenive
2	Mar. 28	Marion Louise Cuskey	William and Alice
8A	Feb. 11	Claudia Ann Blanchette	Andrew and Mabel
9A	Mar. 21	David Arthur Bourdon	Roland and Antoinette
10A	Mar. 28	———— Young	Thomas and Margaret
3	Apr. 4	Ruth Ann Sullivan	William and Dorothy
4	Apr. 13	William Henry Harrison Emmons	Francis and Alice
11A	Apr. 15	———— Kemp	Jesse and Hilda
12A	Apr. 17	———— Libby	Albert and Marion
13A	Apr. 18	———— Castor	Milton and Marion
14A	Apr. 25	———— Edgecomb	Clifford and Eleanor
15A	Apr. 25	Douglas Ernest Flaherty	Douglas and Hazel
16A	Apr. 22	Joan Patricia Walsh	Joseph and Mary
17A	Apr. 28	———— McCarthy	John and Mary
18A	May 7	———— Scott	Nathan and Edith

No.	Date of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Parents
5	May 24	John Fernandes Goes	Manuel and Jesuina
19A	Jan. 25	Richard Gordon Kenison	Gordon and Carrie
20A	May 23	Mary Ann D'Entremont	Samuel and Kisbro
21A	May 25	———— Young	Walter and Helen
22A	June 13	———— Kelleher	Francis and Louise
23A	July 7	———— McAllister	Lee and Pauline
24A	July 18	———— McSheehy	Donald and Mildred
25A	July 26	———— Fairbrother	Herbert and Sarah
26A	July 30	———— Hanson	Harold and Alice
27A	July 31	———— Dunn	Gabriel and Christina
28A	Aug. 9	———— Gillespie	Frank and Evelyn
29A	July 21	George Thomas Blair	George and Johanna
30A	July 24	Winifred Louis Willett	Kenneth and Louise
6	Aug. 17	Patricia Lucille Hollywood	John and Gertrude
31A	Aug. 13	Joan Hamilton Glidden	Henry and Elizabeth
7	Aug. 28	Philip Victor DeCarolis	Amando and Veneranda
8	Sept. 3	Joseph Laponi, Jr.	Joseph and Bernadette
32A	July 12	Raymond Clarence Jewell	Clarence and Mary
33A	Aug. 17	———— Farley	James and Emma
34A	Aug. 29	———— Hickey	Frank and Elaine
35A	Aug. 31	———— Baker	Joseph and Evelyn
36A	Sept. 24	———— O'Neill	Richard and Loretta
9	Oct. 4	————Nickles	Percy and Manda
37A	Oct. 4	———— ————	———— ————
38A	Oct. 7	————Colby	Edward and Dorothy
39A	Oct. 16	Judith Gale	John and Gladys
40A	Oct. 21	———— Sullivan	Frank and Catherine
41A	Oct. 23	———— Beaulieu	Henry and Inez
10	Oct. 27	Hans Richard Wagner	Gustave and Helen
42A	Oct. 8	Melvin Harris Briggs	Harris and Bessie
43A	Oct. 25	———— Taranes	Alfonse and Mary
44A	Nov. 8	————Penny	Lyman and Margaret
45A	Nov. 15	———— Pennock	Roy and Mae
46A	Nov. 17	———— Lawrie	William and Margaret
11	Dec. 24	————Perry	Charles and Mary
47A	Dec. 17	Sandra Elaine Greene	Bernard H. and Thelma G.
48A	Dec. 18	———— Graustein	Wilfred and Edna
49A	Dec. 31	———— Boisvert	Arthur and Blanche

Marriages Recorded in the Town of Tewksbury

For the Year 1939

No.	Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
1	Jan. 22	Harold J. Hanson	Lowell, Mass.
		Alice I. Brown	Tewksbury, Mass.
2	Feb. 14	John McAndrew	Wilmington, Mass.
		Mary E. Cumings	Tewksbury, Mass.
3	Feb. 25	Richard F. O'Neill	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Loretta Manley	Tewksbury, Mass.
4	Feb. 19	William G. Aubut	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Doris R. McGaughy	Tewksbury, Mass.
5	Mar. 23	Harold E. Hunt, Jr.	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Lydianna Fearon	Tewksbury, Mass.
6	Apr. 7	Alfred J. Hewitt	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Dorothy L. Dunning	Tewksbury, Mass.
7	Apr. 9	Willrod Paquette	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Adele Maille (nee Gagnon)	Lowell, Mass.
8	Apr. 22	Parker W. Johnson	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Frieda G. Bruze	Tewksbury, Mass.
9	May 14	Leslie Ash Trerett	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Mildred L. Morrison	Charlestown, Mass.
10	May 20	Dewey D. Suprenant	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Winifred L. Gulecian	Billerica, Mass.
11	May 27	Clement Thompson	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Margaret (Smith) Weber	Tewksbury, Mass.
12	June 3	Chester A. Horne, Jr.	Woburn, Mass.
		Yvonne Alma Martin	Lowell, Mass.
13	June 4	Thomas E. Connolly	Lowell, Mass.
		Andela C. Mullen	Tewksbury, Mass.
14	May 17	Bernard J. Zahn	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Marguerite V. Hall	Chelmsford, Mass.
15	June 6	Harry M. Patterson	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Grace E. Crown	Tewksbury, Mass.
16	June 8	Henry A. Jewell	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Jessie D. Bissett	Andover, Mass.
17	June 24	Laval J. Desjardine	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Beatrice Y. Ouellette	Lowell, Mass.
18	June 25	Charles P. Gath	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Dorothy J. Garrigan	Lowell, Mass.
19	July 1	George J. Paquette	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Mary Y. L. Chenard	Lowell, Mass.

No.	Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
20	July 22	Lewis E. Small	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Zita Ann Mahoney	Lowell, Mass.
21	July 19	Elmer Gratcyk	Wilmington, Mass.
		Ruth M. McLaughlin	Woburn, Mass.
22	July 28	Walter R. Ackles	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Maude E. O'Connell	Tewksbury, Mass.
23	July 29	Chester Horne	Woburn, Mass.
		Helen F. Davitt	Woburn, Mass.
24	July 29	John D. Donovan	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Elsie F. Gooby	Tewksbury, Mass.
25	Aug. 3	Thomas H. McCoy	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Marion E. Muldoon	Tewksbury, Mass.
26	Aug. 10	Antoni Bernat	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Helena Gayda	Lowell, Mass.
27	Aug. 20	Chester E. Burgess	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Dorothy W. King	Tewksbury, Mass.
28	Aug. 22	Stewart Thompson	Stewartown, N. H.
		Janet D. Gordon	Tewksbury, Mass.
29	Sept. 4	Albert Bourgeois	Lowell, Mass.
		Doris A. Roberts	Tewksbury, Mass.
30	Aug. 6	Anthony Zygelis	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Jennie Konica	North Andover, Mass.
31	Sept. 14	Harry W. Blair	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Mary (Meldrum) Blair	Tewksbury, Mass.
32	Sept. 16	Roger G. Brown	Lowell, Mass.
		Bertha M. Stock	Tewksbury, Mass.
33	Sept. 20	Dennis J. Keohane	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Mary O'Loughlin	Lowell, Mass.
34	Oct. 1	Peter Gelarderes	Lowell, Mass.
		Anastasia Siopis	Lowell, Mass.
35	Oct. 1	Harry Liakos	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Anna Sullivan	Melrose, Mass.
36	Oct. 5	Stephen J. Donovan	Dorchester, Mass.
		Catherine E. Nichols	Tewksbury, Mass.
37	Oct. 12	William F. Brooks	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Mary E. Riley	Tewksbury, Mass.
38	Oct. 15	Vincent P. Turco	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Gertrude R. McCole	Tewksbury, Mass.
39	Oct. 21	James Liakos	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Constance Perivolotis	Tewksbury, Mass.
40	Oct. 22	Joseph M. Kelleher	Somerville, Mass.
		Bertha F. Scott	Tewksbury, Mass.
41	Oct. 8	Walter Kohanski	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Helen J. Jankowski	Lowell, Mass.

No.	Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
42	Oct. 29	George M. Hazel Barbara Butterfield	Tewksbury, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.
43	Nov. 11	Lenwood S. Hoyt Esther E. Adell	Dorchester, Mass. Neponset, Mass.
44	Mar. 8	Alfred L. Larson Catherine H. Bolton	Lowell, Mass. Lowell, Mass.
45	Oct. 21	Ernest W. Brabant Janet E. Grant	Tewksbury, Mass. Wilmington, Mass.
46	Nov. 14	Lawrence A. Litchfield Muriel A. Ewing	Cambridge, Mass. Cambridge, Mass.
47	Nov. 26	John R. Scott Alice G. Briggs	Tewksbury, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.
48	Nov. 30	Russell B. Seamans Marie T. Bergeron	Tewksbury, Mass. Lowell, Mass.
49	Dec. 2	Allan J. Murphy Shirley E. Sweet	Tewksbury, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.
50	Dec. 24	Isaac C. Clark Lillian (Hauch) Keller	Tewksbury, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.
51	Dec. 8	Charles H. O'Connell Anna V. McPhee	Tewksbury, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.
52	Nov. 10	Thomas G. Dobbins Eleanore May McLaughlin	Woburn, Mass. Woburn, Mass.
53	Dec. 31	Milton P. Holt Geraldine B. Fearon	Tewksbury, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.

Deaths Recorded in the Town of Tewksbury

For the Year 1939

No.	Date of Death	Name	yrs.	months	days
1	Jan. 22	Edward E. Rowe	71	—	—
2	Mar. 10	Mabel A. White	61	—	—
3	Mar. 13	Adolph B. Moore	59	7	15
4	Apr. 20	Louis O. Dubuque	63	—	—
1A	Feb. 6	Arnold Vonderheyde	79	—	—
2A	Feb. 14	Edward Dominque	46	7	5
3A	Mar. 11	Edward P. Buzzell	69	—	—
4A	May 14	Albert Bonugli	43	—	—
5	June 8	Mary (Lacy) Chandler	49	2	16
5A	May 23	Rose Anna Plourde	74	1	28
6A	June 23	Mary E. McLean	79	—	—
6	July 9	Mary Patraitis	98	1	—
7A	June 8	Dorothy LaDuke	33	2	29
8A	June 29	Thomas Emerson	78	5	28
7	July 25	Elizabeth May Lee	58	9	28
8	Aug. 18	Jane McSheehy	—	1	—
9	Aug. 28	Daniel F. Crossman	67	—	—
10	Sept. 19	Lewis Smith	77	9	10
11	Sept. 21	Ernest L. Dixon	56	1	9
12	Oct. 8	Joseph Wojtas	66	—	—
9A	Oct. 5	——— ———	—	—	—
10A	Oct. 24	George H. Bowden	19	—	—
11A	Nov. 17	Selma P. Woolaver	56	1	27
12A	Nov. 20	Edward B. Connolly	42	8	6
13	Nov. 23	Margaret Ann Shanley	69	—	—
14	Nov. 29	John T. Brown	75	—	—
13A	Nov. 1	John J. O'Donnell	55	—	29
14A	Nov. 24	Edward Riley	49	11	28
15A	Dec. 10	Frank Haines	77	11	26
15	———	——— ———	—	—	—
16A	Dec. 31	Thomas Brophy	60	—	—

RECAPITULATION

Births		60
a. Males	27	
b. Females	33	
Marriages		53
Deaths		31
a. Males	20	
b. Females	11	

THE TOWN CLERK HEREBY GIVES NOTICE THAT HE IS PREPARED TO FURNISH PARENTS, HOUSEHOLDERS, PHYSICIANS AND MIDWIVES, APPLYING THEREFOR, BLANKS FOR THE RETURN OF BIRTHS AS REQUIRED BY LAW.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Received and paid to the Town Treasurer for Licenses, Permits, Fees, etc., two thousand two hundred seventy-four dollars and fifty-five cents ($2,274.55).

Received and paid to the Town Treasurer for Dog Licenses, six hundred three dollars and twenty cents ($603.20).

Received and paid to the Division of Fisheries and Game for Licenses, three hundred twenty-eight dollars and seventy-five cents ($328.75).

This makes a total of three thousand two hundred six dollars and fifty cents ($3,206.50) received, during the year 1939, and paid into the proper accounts.

Attest:

H. LOUIS FARMER, Jr.,

Town Clerk.

WARRANT FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Middlesex, ss:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town affairs, to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury, on Wednesday the 1st day of February, 1939 at 12 o'clock noon to act on the following articles:

ART. 1. To choose all necessary Town Officers, to choose by ballot a Moderator, a Town Clerk, three Selectmen, three members of the Board of Public Welfare, three members of the Board of Health, a Town Treasurer, an Auditor, a Collector of Taxes, a Tree Warden and Constables, (Three), all to serve one year; one Highway Commissioner to serve three years; one School Committee to serve three years; two Trustees of the Public Library to serve three years; one Park Commissioner to serve three years; one Assessor to serve three years; one Commissioner of Trust Funds to serve three years. The polls for the election of Town Officers to be opened at 12 noon and close at 8 P. M. And to act on the following articles, commencing at 7 P. M.

ART. 2. To hear reports of Town Officers and Committees and act thereon.

ART. 3. To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise by taxation to defray necessary expenses for the current year, and make appropriations for the same.

ART. 4. To see if the Town willl vote the money arising from licensing dogs, for the ensuing year to aid in support of the Public Library.
period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 444, General Laws.

VOTED: That the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1939 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ART. 6. To see what compensation the Town will vote for interest will be charged on taxes of 1939 unpaid after Nov. 1, 1939 or any other action relative thereto.

ART. 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appro- the collection of taxes, and what rate and from what date priate the sum of $350.00 for the proper observance of Memorial Day, and appoint a committee to expend the money. Said committee to be taken from members of Spanish War Veterans, American Legion, or Sons of Veterans.

ART. 8. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to institute suits on behalf of the Town or defend any suits that are, or may be brought against the Town, and to sign any contracts or agreements in behalf of the Town.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum sufficient to pay the County of Middlesex, as required by law, the Town's share of the net cost of the care, maintenance, and repair of the Middlesex County Tuberculosis Hospital, as assessed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 111 of the General Laws and Acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto including Chapter 400, Section 25 G (6) (a) of the Acts of 1936 or take any action in relation thereto.

ART. 10. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell, after first giving notice of the time and place of sale by posting such notice of sale in some convenient and public place in the town fourteen days at least before the sale, property taken by the town under tax title procedure provided that the selectmen or whomsoever they may authorize to hold such public auction may reject any bid which they deem inadequate, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1939 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a

ART. 11. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen and Treasurer to petition the land court for a foreclosure of tax titles held by the Town for more than two years, as provided in Section 65 of Chapter 60, and to see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate therefor.

ART. 12. To see what regulations the Town will make for the possession, management and sale of land sold for unpaid taxes and for the assignment of tax titles not inconsistent with law or with the right of redemption as provided in Section 52 of Chapter 60 of the General Laws as amended by Section 3 of Chapter 126 of the Acts of 1927.

ART. 13 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Public Welfare to set aside a part of their appropriation to be used in conjunction with either Federal, State or County funds whenever in their opinion the pledging of such a sum of money will add to the total amount available for Welfare purposes.

ART. 14. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for W.P.A. works for 1939, or take any action relative to the same.

ART. 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,500.00 or any other sum for the improvement of North Street; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 or any other sum for the improvement of River Road; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,000.00 for the Maintenance of Chapter 90, highways; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed $4,500.00. to purchase the property now owned by the Lowell Co-operative Bank. Said property is now rented by the Highway Department for storage of trucks and equipment. Property consists of dwelling, a heated ten stall garage, with repair shop, and approximately one acre of land, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 19. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to establish a Road Machinery Fund for the purpose of purchasing, repairing, and operating road mechinery, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 20. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Road Machinery Account, to which shall be accredited all receipts received for the use of rental of road machinery, the proceeds to be appropriated as voted by the Town for road machinery purposes, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 21. To see if the Town will vote to accept Myrtle Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 22. To see if the Town will vote to accept White Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 23. To see if the Town will vote to accept Laite Road, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 24. To see if the Town will vote to accept an extention on Sunnyslope Avenue, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 25. To see if the Town will vote to accept an extention on Highlandview Avenue, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 26. To see if the Town will vote to accept an extention on School Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 27. To see if the Town will pass a by-law to provide periodical audits of the Town's accounts annually under the supervision of the Director of Accounts of the Department of Corporations and Taxation in accordance with the provisions of Section 35, Chapter 44, General Laws, or take any action relative thereto.

VOTED. To adopt the following By-law: There shall be an annual audit of the Town's accounts under the supervision of the Director of Accounts of the Department of Corporations and Taxation in accordance with the provisions of Section 35, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ART. 28. To see if the Town will permit the use of the playing fields in the Tewksbury Stadium free of charge to all athletic teams sponsored by any organization in the town, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 29. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of three hundred ($300.00), the same to be used for the upkeep of the playing fields in the Tewksbury Stadium, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 30. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1500.00 for the purchase of hose and other equipment, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 31. To see if the Town will vote that all Motor Vehicles, owned by the Town of Tewksbury, shall be lettered with the name of Department to which the vehicle belongs, or to take any action relative to same.

ART. 32. To see if the Town will vote to choose by ballot at the Annual Town Meeting in February, 1939 three

Selectmen, three members of the Board of Public Welfare, and three members of the Board of Health, one to serve three years, one to serve two years, and one to serve one year, and each succeeding year to choose by ballot one Selectman, one member of the Board of Public Welfare, and one member of the Board of Health, to serve for the period of three years or to take any action relative to same.

ART. 33. To see if the Town will vote that the Highway Department, cut all brush on the highways of Tewksbury, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 34. To see what sum the town will vote to pay the Town Treasurer as a salary for the year 1939.

ART. 35. To see if the Town will adopt the following by-law:
The annual election of Town Officers shall be held on the first Wednesday in February. Polls shall be open from 12 noon to 8:00 P. M. All other business shall be transacted on the second Wednesday in February, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 36. To see what instructions, if any, the town will give to the school committee for the transportation of high school pupils, and of pupils attending the other public schools, beyond the requirements of section 68 of Chapter 71 of the General Laws, as amended by Chapter 97 of the Acts of 1934, and to see what sum the town will appropriate for transportation furnished beyond such requirements.

ART. 37. To see if the town will vote to locate a light on Lee street near the residence of Mr. Ryonne, and appropriate money for same, or take any action thereon.

ART. 38. To see if the town will vote to locate a light at Highland View and Sunny Slope Ave., and appropriate money for same, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 39. To see if the town will vote to locate a light on Main street, between Fosters' corner and Bischoffs' Store, and appropriate money for same, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 40. To see what sum the Town will raise by taxation the current year to pay the cost of the re-registration of voters provided in the Statute, and to recompense the Board of Registrars for the extra work caused by the new method of assessing polls, or take any other action relative thereto.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices and leave one hundred copies for the use of the citizens at the Post Office in said town, 8 days at least and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid:

Given under our hands, this fifteenth day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.

IRVING F. FRENCH
EVERETT H. KING
HERBERT L. TRULL
} Selectmen of Tewksbury.

Febuary 1, 1939

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, ss.

I have served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and by leaving one hundred (100) copies for the use of the citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, eight days at least and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said meeting.

CYRIL L. BARKER,
Constable of Tewksbury.

A true copy. Attest:

H. LOUIS FARMER, Jr.

Town Clerk.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Tewksbury, Massachusetts, February 1, 1939

At a meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town affairs, held this day in the Town Hall, Tewksbury, Massachusetts, the following business was transacted.

Meeting called to order at 12.00 o'clock noon by the Moderator, Melvin G. Rogers.

ART. 1. Under Article 1, the polls were opened with William Smith, Anna MacPhillips, Thomas Sullivan, Jeremiah Houlihan, Edward Hoyt, Elmer Streckwald, Jesse French and Wallace Farwell sworn in as Tellers. Register showed 0000.
At eight o'clock P. M. the meeting was called to order and Rev. Taplin J. Winslade, D. D., offered prayer.

ART. 2. All reports of Town Officers and Committees accepted.

ART. 3. Voted to raise and appropriate the following sums:

Street Lighting	$ 5,740.00
Incidentals	1,000.00
Highways	16,000.00
Schools	57,530.00
Library—Dog Tax and	1,250.00
Police	6,000.00
Stationery and Printing	1,150.00
Board of Health	2,100.00
Park Commission	400.00
Tree Warden	1,200.00
Fire Department	5,000.00
Department of Public Welfare	12,000.00
Aid to dependent Children (plus Federal Grants)	3,500.00
Bureau of Old Age Assistance (Plus Federal Grants)	11,000.00
Town Hall	4,000.00
Assessors	2,300.00
Vocational Schools	1,000.00
Inspection of Meat and Animals	600.00
Aid, State and Military	2,500.00
Interest on Loans	600.00
Collection of Taxes	1,200.00
Municipal Insurance	1,500.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	225.00
Dog Officer	100.00
Maintenance, Legion Headquarters	125.00
Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths	1,000.00

Salary Account

Auditor	$ 700.00
Town Clerk (All fees to go to Town)	750.00
Tax Collector	1,500.00
Selectman	800.00
Election Officers	50.00
School Committee	225.00
Road Commissioners	400.00

(Chairman to receive $200.00)

Under Article 3 it was voted: The Assessors be and hereby are authorized to use the sum of $10,000.00 of Surplus Revenue as Estimated Receipts in order to reduce the tax rate for the current year, subject to the approval of the Tax Commissioner.

ART. 4. Adopted.

ART. 5. Adopted. Vote to be as in the Warrant.

ART. 6. Voted that the rate and dates of interest be the Minimum (4%) established by State Law Chap. 330 Acts of 1938.
Remainder of Article taken up under Article 3.

ART. 7. Adopted. Committee to be appointed by the Moderator.
Appointed: Harry Wright, Asa Stickney, Gilbert Hunt.
Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $350.00 for the proper observance of Memorial Day.

ART. 8. Adopted.

ART. 9. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,199.93 for the purposes outlined in this Article.

ART. 10. Adopted as Article read.

ART. 11. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $350.00 and adopt this Article.

ART. 12. Voted that the present or any succeeding Town Treasurer, may during his term of office, with the approval of the Selectmen, assign any tax title held by the Town, whether redeemable or unredeemable, for a sum not less than the consideration named in the tax deed plus interest thereon at the rate of eight percent (8%) per annum from the date of the deed to the date of the assignment of the tax title, plus the cost of recording said deed, and plus a sum not less than the taxes of the two years succeeding the year in which the tax was assessed for which the tax sale was made. The Board of Selectmen shall keep a book exclusively for the records of such approvals by them of assignments of tax titles and

the secretary of said Board shall, upon any such approval by the Board of an assignment, give notice immediately in writing to the Town Auditor, stating the title which is being assigned, a consideration to be received therefor.

ART. 13. Voted to authorize the Board of Public Welfare as requested in this Article.

ART. 14. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $10,000.00 for W. P. A. works for 1939.
Motion by Harold J. Patten that Everett H. King act as Sponsor's Agent seconded and so voted.

ART. 15. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of $2,500.00 for the improvement of North Street; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose.

ART. 16. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 for the improvement of River Road; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose.

ART. 17. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of $2,500.00 for the Maintenance of Chapter 90, highways; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose.

ART. 18. Indefinitely postponed.

ART. 19. Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $1,069.84, being the balance at present in the Highway Machinery Fund, together with all receipts for the use of Road Machinery from any source whatsoever and that the Highway Commissioners be and hereby are authorized to purchase from such Fund whenever in their judgment it becomes necessary whatever new equipment or trucks the Highway Department may need; and to pay whatever cost of repairs and maintenance that may be incurred in the usual operations of the Highway Department Machinery from said Fund; provided that at the time of the above purchases there be in the said Highway Maintenance Fund a sum large enough to pay for the article so purchased.

ART. 20. Adopted.

ART. 21. Voted: To accept Myrtle Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 22. Voted: To accept White Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 23. Voted: To accept Laite Road, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 24. Voted: To accept an extension on Sunnyslope Avenue, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 25. Voted: To accept an extension on Highlandview Avenue, as laid out by the Road Commissioner, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 26. Voted: To accept an extension on School Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 27. Voted: To adopt the following By-law: There shall be an annual audit of the Town's accounts under the supervision of the Director of Accounts of the Department of Corporations and Taxation in accordance with the provisions of Section 35, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ART. 28. Voted: to refer the matter to the School Committee.

ART. 29. Indefinitely postponed.

ART. 30. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 for the purchase of hose and other equipment.
Recommended that similar appropriations be included in the Fire Department's Appropriation under Article 3 in the future.

ART. 31. Indefinitely postponed.

ART. 32. Indefinitely postponed.

ART. 33. Indefinitely postponed.

ART. 34. Voted: To pay the Town Treasurer $1,300.00 as a salary for 1939.

ART. 35. VOTED: To adopt the following By-law: The Annual Town Meeting shall be on the first Wednesday in February for the Election of Town Officers and such matters as are to be required by law to be determined by ballot, polls to open at 10.00 o'clock A. M. and close at 8 o'cock P. M. All other business shall be transacted on the second Wednesday of February commencing at eight (8) o'clock P. M.

ART. 36. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 to be used by the School Committee for the purpose of adding one more bus to those already in use for the transportation of school children.

Motion made and seconded to reconsider the vote on this Article. Mr. Pearson and Rev. Mr. Kenison appointed by the Moderator as tellers. The result of the count was unanimous for reconsideration.

Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of $1,500.00 to be used by the School Committee for the purpose of adding one more bus immediately, to those already in use for the transportation of school children.

ART. 37. Voted to lay on the table. (And take up under Article 3.)

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ART. 39. Voted to lay on the table. (And take up under Article 3.)

ART. 40. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,300.00 to pay the cost of re-registration of voters provided in the Statute, and to recompense the Board of Registrars for the extra work caused by the new method of assessing polls.

George K. James nominated, elected and sworn as Surveyor of Lumber.

George K. James nominated, elected and sworn as Measurer of Wood.

Philip M. Battles, Louis O. Berube, Harry P. Nash and Mark Roper reappointed by the Moderator to the Finance Committee to serve for three years.

Polls closed at eight o'clock P. M., with the Register showing 1062 which checked with the check lists. Following is the result of the count:

Town Clerk for One Year

H. Louis Farmer, Jr. had	827	votes	(elected and sworn)
Geo. Gale had	1	"	
William McNabb had	1	"	
Blanks	233	"	

Selectmen for One Year

Duncan J. Cameron had	318	votes	
Irving F. French had	616	"	(elected and sworn)
Bernard H. Greene had	428	"	(elected and sworn)
Everett H. King had	511	"	(elected and sworn)
William H. McGowan had	199	"	
William J. O'Neill had	250	"	
John A. Trull had	300	"	
Herbert L. Trull had	4	"	
Blanks	560	"	

Board of Public Welfare for One Year

Duncan J. Cameron had	308	votes	
Irving F. French had	611	"	(elected and sworn)
Bernard H. Greene had	459	"	(elected and sworn)
Everett H. King had	495	"	(elected and sworn)
William H. McGowan had	205	"	
William J. O'Neill had	238	"	
John A. Trull had	276	"	
Herbert L. Trull had	2	"	
Blanks	592	"	

Board of Health for One Year

Duncan J. Cameron had	305	votes	
Irving F. French had	588	"	(elected and sworn)
Bernard H. Greene had	443	"	(elected and sworn)
Everett H. King had	488	"	(elected and sworn)
William H. McGowan had	212	"	
William J. O'Neill had	242	"	
John A. Trull had	273	"	
Herbert L. Trull had	2	"	
Blanks	633	"	

Treasurer for One Year

George A. Marshall had	921	votes (elected and sworn)
Geo. Gale had	1	"
Joseph Martos had	1	"
Robert Rainy had	1	"
Blanks	138	"

Auditor for One Year

Robert E. Gay had	863	votes (elected and sworn)
Harris Briggs had	1	"
Henry Morris had	1	"
Blanks	197	"

Moderator for One Year

Melvin G. Rogers had	838	votes (elected and sworn)
Percy Haines had	1	"
John Belton had	1	"
Jos. Martos had	1	"
Blanks	221	"

Tax Collector for One Year

Harry C. Dawson had	553	votes (elected and sworn)
Alice A. Pike had	478	"
Arthur Fairgrieve had	1	"
Blanks	30	"

Tree Warden for One Year

Harris M. Briggs had	860	votes (elected and sworn)
Nelson Brown had	1	"
Geo. Gale had	1	"
Wm. Shanley had	2	"
Jos. Martos had	1	"
Blanks	197	"

Trust Fund Commissioner for Three Years

Franklin F. Spaulding had	792	votes (elected and sworn)
Geo. James had	1	"
Wm. Shanley had	1	"
Blanks	268	"

Constables for One Year

Cyril L. Barker had	812	votes	(elected and sworn)
Chester E. Burgess had	818	"	(elected and sworn)
Lauchie McPhail had	818	"	(elected and sworn)
James Bancroft had	1	"	
Bernard Greene had	1	"	
Winthrop Jones had	1	"	
Daniel Sterling had	1	"	
Blanks	734	"	

Highway Commissioner for Three Years

Chester M. Roper had	554	votes	(elected and sworn)
Edward J. Walsh had	452	"	
James Hamilton had	1	"	
Blanks	55	"	

Trustees Public Library for Three Years

Dorothy Fitzgerald had	758	votes	(elected and sworn)
Harold J. Patten had	816	"	(elected and sworn)
Dorothy Ackles had	1	"	
Blanks	549	"	

Park Commissioner for Three Years

Harris M. Briggs had	665	votes	(elected and sworn)
Winifred G. Colbath had	265	"	
Joseph Maher had	2	"	
Clifford Edgecomb had	2	"	
Wm. Shanley had	3	"	
James R. Hamilton had	1	"	
J. R. Quinn had	1	"	
John Belton had	2	"	
F. Goodwin had	1	"	
Blanks	120	"	

Assessor for Three Years

Charles P. Greene had	145	votes	
Percy L. Haines had	672	"	(elected and sworn)
Nils A. Johnson had	136	"	
John T. Gale had	1	"	
Blanks	107	"	

School Committee for Three Years

Austin F. French had	857	votes (elected and sworn)
Percy Haines had	1	"
Joseph Aubut had	1	"
David Stevenson had	1	"
George Gale had	1	"
Blanks	201	"

Voted to adjourn at 11.06 o'clock P. M., February 1, 1939.

A true record. H. LOUIS FARMER, Jr.,
Attest: Town Clerk.

WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Middlesex, ss:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury in said County:
GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town Affairs to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury, on Wednesday, the 25th Day of October, 1939, at eight o'clock P. M., to act on the following Articles:

ART. 1. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of $200 from the Town Hall account to the Aid to Dependent Children Account, or take any action in regard to same.

ART. 2. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of $643 from the Board of Registrars Account to the W. P. A. Account, or take any other action on same.

ART. 3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2500 for the Welfare Dept. or take any other action on same.

ART. 4. To see what action the Town will take to regulate, by By-Law the Issuance of Permits or Licenses, for the establishment of, or engaging in, any commercial business or enterprise, in the District south of the Shawsheen River, commonly known as South Tewksbury.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices and leave one hundred copies for the use of the Citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, 8 days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said Meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid:

Given under our hands this eleventh day of October A. D. 1939.

IRVING F. FRENCH,
EVERETT H. KING,
BERNARD H. GREENE,
Selectmen of Tewksbury.

A true copy.
ATTEST:
CYRIL L. BARKER, Constable
October 14, 1939.

October 25, 1939.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,

Middlesex ss.

I have served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the public meeting houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and by leaving one hundred copies for the use of the citizens at the Post Offices in said town, eight days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said meeting.

CYRIL L. BARKER,

Constable of Tewksbury.

Tewksbury, Mass., October 25, 1939

At a Special Meeting held this day in the Town Hall by the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town affairs, the following business was transacted: Meeting called to order by Moderator Melvin G. Rogers at four minutes past eight o'clock. Because of a lack of quorum a motion was made and accepted that the Meeting be postponed until nine o'clock P. M. Meeting called to order at nine o'clock P. M. by Moderator Rogers. Because of lack of quorum a motion was made and accepted to postpone the Meeting indefinitely. The motion was carried. Everett H. King explained that he would ask the Selectmen to act as in emergency under Section 31, Chapter 44, General Laws. Meeting adjourned at 9:02 P. M.
A true record.

ATTEST:

H. LOUIS FARMER, Jr., Town Clerk.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash Balance January 1, 1939	$ 40,963.00
Loans in Anticipation of Revenue	115,000.00
	$155,963.00

Taxes

1933 Account:		
Real Estate	$	2.48
Interest		.09
1934 Account:		
Real Estate	$	25.50
Personal		3.00
Poll		14.00
Excise		11.50
Interest		9.16
Demands		2.10
1935 Account:		
Real Estate	$	89.52
Personal		5.33
Poll		12.00
Excise		10.73
Interest		22.12
Demands		.70
1936 Account:		
Real Estate	$	1,764.33
Personal		31.98
Poll		46.00
Excise		50.77
Interest		215.74
Demands		9.10
1937 Account:		
Real Estate	$	13,602.27
Personal		400.53

Poll	36.00	
Excise	87.82	
Interest	1,054.09	
Demands	14.35	
1938 Account:		
Real Estate	$ 18,071.86	
Personal	189.54	
Poll	140.00	
Excise	369.82	
Interest	458.52	
Demands	1.75	
1939 Account:		
Real Estate	$ 48,844.17	
Personal	51,212.60	
Poll	1,326.00	
Excise	5,944.33	
Interest	51.28	
Demands	4.20	
		$144,135.28
Land and Buildings owned by the Town sold	$ 630.00	630.00

Tax Titles

Tax Titles Redeemed	$ 2,510.60	
Partial Payments	1,277.60	
Land of low value sold, (foreclosed Tax Titles)	251.00	
		$ 4,039.20

Highways

Treasurer of The Commonwealth:	
Chap. 90 Construction North Street	$ 5,000.00
Chap. 90 Construction Pleasant Street	1,747.50
Chap. 90 Maintenance	313.62
Chap. 81	41.69
Chap. 232 General Laws Acts 1939	946.39
Highway 81, 1939	8,480.99
Highway, Chap. 90 Maintenance 1939	638.45
State Infirmary	140.00
	$ 17,308.64

HIGHWAY FUND

Treasurer of The Commonwealth:		
Part of Highway Fund Chap. 232 Acts 1939..	$ 8,050.00	$ 8,050.00

HIGHWAYS

Treasurer of Middlesex County:		
Maintenance of Highways	$ 638.45	
North Street	2,500.00	
Pleasant Street	873.75	
Various Roads	1,170.94	
	$ 5,183.14	

Public Welfare

Treasurer of The Commonwealth:

Aid To Dependent Children	$ 1.545.00	
Temporary Aid	2,203.23	
Old Age Assistance	6,476.15	
Veteran's Exemption	47.54	
Other Welfare	112.00	
Aid to Dependent Children, U. S. Grant	1,255.91	
Old Age Assistance, U. S. Grant	9,376.31	
Welfare Reimbursement, other cities, towns	62,126.00	
Old Age Assistance, Other cities, towns	608.08	
		$ 23,750.22

Military Aid

Treasurer of The Commonwealth	$ 90.00	
City of Lowell	8.00	
		$ 98.00

Refunds

Treasurer of The Commonwealth

Department of Public Health	$ 203.57	
Individuals	219.93	
Land Court, (Tax Title Foreclosures)	73.00	
		$ 496.50

Public Library

Treasurer of Middlesex County, Dog Tax Refund	$ 501.59	
A. M. Blaisdell, Librarian, Sale of cards, etc.	6.31	
		$ 507.90

Police

District Court of Lowell, Fines etc.	$ 37.45	
Chief Cyril L. Barker, Gun Permits	11.00	
		$ 48.45

Town Hall

Rent of Town Hall	$ 120.00	$ 120.00

Taxes (State)

Treasurer of The Commonwealth:

Income Tax	$ 5,872.50	
Income Tax, Sec. 18, Chapter 58	7,427.50	
Reimbursement Loss of Taxes	3,306.39	
Chapter 362, Sec. 4. Acts 1936	78.82	
		$ 16,685.21

Trust Funds (Interest)

Martha Shedd Fund	$ 6.00	
Peter Clark Fund	5.00	
Foster School Fund	12.70	
Louisa Bridges Fund	2.75	
Ebenezer Page Fund	5.00	
William Prindle	2.00	
Samuel Jacques	2.75	
Jeremiah Kittredge	2.75	
		$ 38.95

Schools

Treasurer of The Commonwealth:

Tuition to Children	$ 1,364.74	
Vocational Education	294.12	
City of Boston a/c Tuition	868.74	

L. A. Webster a/c Tuition	50.00	
		$ 2,577.60

Miscellaneous

Town Clerk:

H. Louis Farmer, Jr. a/c Dog Licenses	$ 605.00	
H. Louis Farmer, Jr. a/c Licenses, Fees	2,279.55	
Advertising Liquor Licenses	12.00	
American Legion a/c Rent of Silverware	2.50	
Beer Permits (1 day)	45.00	
Other Permits	12.00	
Certifying Liens	2.00	
Dental Clinic	57.75	
Director of Standards (Hawker's and Pedlar's)	24.00	
Licenses, Auto, Junk etc.	3.00	
Milk Permits, (Stores, Dealers, Pasturization)	68.00	
Sale of Lavatory Supplies	1.44	
Sale of Hurricane Timber	9.00	
Sealing Fees	26.91	
Tax Title Refund	12.64	
Telephone Calls:		
Thomas P. Sawyer (1938)	42.35	
A. S. Haines	4.00	
I. F. French	2.15	
R. E. Gay	7.70	
H. C. Dawson	50.26	
G. A. Marshall	.35	
		$ 3,267.60
Total money received		$382,899.69

Credit

Aid, State and Military	$ 1,739.80
Aid To Dependent Children, Town Appro.	3,705.50
Aid To Dependent Children, U. S. Grant	1,090.00
Aid To Dependent Children, U. S. Adm. Only	151.60
Assessors	2,294.21
Board of Registrars, Acts of 1938	606.31
Collection of Taxes	1,158.98
Dog Officer's Account	98.94

Fire Department	5,241.55
Special Appro., For Purchases of Hose etc	938.53
Foreclosure of Tax Titles	202.08
General	143,538.20
Board of Health	2,099.32
High School Building Loan	6,196.25
Highways	6,849.85
Highways, Chapter 81	15,889.00
Highways, Chap. 90 Construction North Street	4,304.57
Highways, Chap. 90 Maintenance	6,661.25
Highways, Chap. 90 Construction Pleasant St	1,923.76
Highways, Trull Street Appropriation	500.00
Highways, Chapter 498, Acts of 1938	1,238.16
Highway Machinery Fund	3,735.11
Incidentals	905.62
Interest	241.23
Inspection of Meats and Animals	600.00
Janitor and Fuel	7,446.13
Library	1,746.83
Maintenance of American Legion Hall	125.00
Massachusetts School Fund (Teachers)	1,425.00
Medical Inspection	200.00
Memorial Day	341.50
Moth Department	998.02
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Refunds	158.24
Old Age Assistance, Town Appropriation	10,995.70
Old Age Assistance, U. S. Grant	7,899.67
Old Age Assistance, U. S. Grant, Adm. Only	351.20
Parks and Commons	400.00
Police	6,137.66
Real Estate Tax Refund	405.15
Salaries	5,632.44
Schools: School Books and Supplies	2,964.50
Schools: School Houses	2,612.44
Schools: School Miscellany	2,552.73
Schools: School Nurse	1,299.96
Schools: Supervision	877.56
Schools: Teachers	31,522.48
Schools: Transportation	7,992.80
Sealer of Weights and Measures	205.03
Stationery and Printing	1,077.14
Street Lighting	5,739.88
Tree Warden	1,199.93
Town Hall	3,689.08
Trust Funds: Cemetery	26.25
Trust Funds: Foster School	12.70

Trust Funds: Municipal Buildings Insurance	1,500.00	
Vocational School	1,000.00	
Welfare; (Public)	15,877.46	
W. P. A.	10,000.00	
		$346,322.30
Total Money Received		$382,899.69
Total Money Paid out		346,322.30
Bank Bal. in Union Old Lowell National Bank....	$ 36,577.39	
		$ 36,577.39

Assets

Money due the Town a/c Highways	$ 8,031.97	
Money due the Town a/c Public Welfare Other Cities and Towns	$ 977.84	
Money due the Town a/c Old Age Assistance, Other Cities and Towns	$ 125.00	
Treasurer of The Commonwealth:		
Money due a/c Old Age Assistance	$ 4,032.00	
Money due a/c Aid to Dependent Children....	$ 846.49	
Money due a/c Public Welfare	$ 2,063.43	
Outstanding Taxes	$ 52,016.48	
Cash on Hand	$ 36,577.39	
		$104,670.60

Liabilities

High School Loan: Notes Nos. 141 to 177 inc.....	$ 37,000.00	
Additional High School Loan Notes Nos. 190, 191	2,000.00	
A. R. Note No. 220 due Feb. 15, 1940	30,000.00	
A. R. Note No. 223 due Dec. 14, 1940	25,000.00	
A. R. Note No. 224 due Dec. 14, 1940	10,000.00	
		$104,000.00
Total Assets		$104,670.60
Total Liabilities		$104,000.00
Balance in favor of the Town		$ 670.60

Rates paid on A. R. Notes Year of 1939

Note No. 219 issued Feb. 16, 1939 borrowed at .28% discounted.
Note No. 220 issued Feb. 16, 1939 borrowed at .28% discounted
Note No. 221 issued May 15, 1939 borrowed at .21% discounted.
Note No. 222 issued May 15, 1939 borrowed at .21% discounted.
Note No. 223 issued Dec. 15, 1939 borrowed at .19% discounted.
Note No. 224 issued Dec. 15, 1939 borrowed at .19% discounted.
Tax Titles Held by the Town December 31, 1939 ..... $ 13,320.62

Trust Funds

Municipal Buildings Insurance Trust Funds Jan. 1, 1940.....	$ 14,841.35
Foster School Fund	1,118.34
Cemetery Trust Funds	1,659.06

Financial Condition of the Town in the Last Ten Years

		Tax Rate
1931 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st.....	$ 11,126.04	$ 24.00
1932 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st.....	13,201.94	24.00
1933 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st.....	18,201.94	24.00
1934 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st.....	10,283.39	30.00
1935 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st.....	4,256.33	29.60
1936 Balance against the Town Jan. 1st.....	40,363.11	33.30
1937 Balance against the Town Jan. 1st.....	26,172.22	33.40
1938 Balance against the Town Jan. 1st.....	3,502.38	32.00
1939 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st.....	5,595.52	29.30
1940 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st.....	670.60	

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE A. MARSHALL,

Town Treasurer.

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

1931 Moth Assessment Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1939	$10.56	$10.56
Outstanding Jan. 4, 1940	10.56	10.56

1933 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1939	$7.44	
Recommitted	2.48	
	9.88	$9.88
Taxes collected during 1939	2.48	
Interest collected during 1939	.09	
	2.57	$2.57
Outstanding Jan. 4, 1940		7.44

1934 Account

Outstanding Real Estate Jan. 1, 1939	$28.50	$28.50
Real Estate Taxes collected 1939	28.50	28.50
Outstanding Jan. 4, 1940		none
Outstanding Poll Taxes Jan. 1, 1939	98.50	98.50
Poll Taxes collected 1939	14.00	14.00
Outstanding Jan. 4, 1940		84.50
Outstanding Excise Jan. 1, 1939	208.67	208.67
Excise Taxes collected 1939	11.50	
Excise Taxes charged Robert W. Barron	2.00	
	13.50	13.50
Outstanding Jan. 4, 1940		195.17
Interest collected 1939	9.16	
Costs collected 1939	2.10	
	11.26	11.26

1935 Account

Outstanding Real Estate Jan. 1, 1939	$ 27.51	
Recommitted during 1939	68.08	
Refunded during 1939	59.20	
	154.79	$154.79
Real Estate Taxes collected 1939	94.85	
Abated during 1939	59.94	
	154.79	154.79
Outstanding Jan. 4, 1940		none
Outstanding Poll Taxes Jan. 1, 1939	118.00	118.00
Poll Taxes collected during 1939	12.00	12.00
Outstanding Jan. 4, 1940		106.00
Outstanding Excise Taxes Jan. 1, 1939	263.79	263.79
Excise Taxes collected during 1939	10.73	10.73
Outstanding Jan. 4, 1940		253.06
Interest collected during 1939	22.12	
Costs collected during 1939	0.70	
	22.82	22.82

1936 Account

Outstanding Real Estate Jan. 1, 1939	$2,067.47	
Recommitted during 1939	76.59	
	2,144.06	2,144.06
Real Estate Taxes collected 1939	1,796.31	
Tax Titles added during 1939	199.31	
Charged to R. W. Barron	10.00	
	2,005.62	2,005.62
Outstanding Jan. 4, 1940		138.44
Outstanding Poll Taxes Jan. 1, 1939	202.00	202.00
Poll Taxes collected during 1939	46.00	
Charged to R. W. Barron	2.00	
	48.00	48.00
Outstanding Jan. 4, 1940		154.00

Outstanding Excise Taxes Jan. 1, 1939	487.52	487.52
Excise Taxes collected during 1939	50.77	
Charged to R. W. Barron	10.01	
	60.78	60.78
Outstanding Jan. 4, 1940		426.74
Interest collected during 1939	215.74	
Costs collected during 1939	9.10	
	224.84	224.84

1937 Account

Outstanding Real Estate Jan. 1, 1939	$ 16,564.92	
Recommited during 1939	60.12	
Refunded during 1939	66.80	
	16,691.84	$ 16,691.84
Real Estate Taxes collected 1939	14,002.80	
Abated during 1939	95.72	
Tax Titles added during 1939	1,496.55	
	15,595.07	15,595.07
Outstanding Jan. 4, 1940		1,096.77
Outstanding Poll Taxes Jan. 1, 1939	262.00	262.00
Poll Taxes collected during 1939	36.00	
Poll Taxes abated during 1939	2.00	
	38.00	38.00
Outstanding Jan. 4, 1940		224.00
Outstanding Excise Taxes Jan. 1, 1939	654.55	654.55
Excise Taxes collected during 1939	87.82	
Excise Taxes abated during 1939	30.38	
	118.20	118.20
Outstanding Jan. 4, 1940		536.35
Interest collected during 1939	1,054.09	
Costs collected during 1939	14.35	
	1,068.44	1,068.44

1938 Account

Outstanding Real Estate and Per. Jan. 1, 1939....	$ 35,008.69	
Recommitted during 1939	56.00	
Refunded during 1939	64.00	
	35,128.69	$ 35,128.69
Real and Personal Taxes collected during 1939..	18,261.40	
Added to Tax Titles during 1939	1,572.64	
Abated during 1939	227.20	
	20,061.24	20,061.24
Outstanding Jan. 4, 1940		15,067.45
Outstanding Poll Taxes Jan. 1, 1939	650.00	650.00
Poll Taxes collected during 1939	140.00	
Poll Taxes abated during 1939	8.00	
	148.00	148.00
Outstanding Jan. 4, 1940		502.00
Outstanding Excise Taxes Jan. 1, 1939	364.78	
Warrant Feb. 3, 1939	197.20	
	561.98	561.98
Excise Taxes collected during 1939	369.82	
Excise Taxes abated during 1939	4.34	
	374.16	374.16
Outstanding Jan. 4, 1940		187.82
Interest collected during 1939	458.52	
Costs collected during 1939	1.75	
	460.27	460.27

1939 Account

Real Estate Warrant to Collector	$ 83,377.86	
Refunds during 1939	165.15	
	83,543.01	$ 83,543.01
Real Estate Taxes collected 1939	48,844.17	
Real Estate Taxes abated 1939	780.13	
Added to Tax Titles during 1939	2,827.65	

	52,451.95	52,451.95
Outstanding Jan. 4, 1940		31,091.06
Personal Estate Warrant to Collector	52,185.03	52,185.03
Personal Estate Taxes collected 1939	51,212.60	
Personal Estate Taxes abated 1939	5.86	
	51,218.46	51,218.46
GAL. 9—TEWKSBURY		
Outstanding Jan. 4, 1940		966.57
Poll Tax Warrants to Collector	2,206.00	2,206.00
Poll Taxes collected 1939	1,326.00	
Poll Taxes abated 1939	136.00	
	1,462.00	1,462.00
Outstanding Jan. 4, 1940		744.00
Excise Warrants to Collector 1939	6,888.44	
Refunded during 1939	146.24	
	7,044.68	7,044.68
Excise Taxes collected 1939	5,944.33	
Excise Taxes abated 1939	721.80	
	6,666.13	6,666.13
Outstanding Jan. 4, 1940		378.55
Interest collected during 1939	51.28	
Costs collected during 1939	4.20	
	55.48	55.48
Cash collected during 1939 and turned over to the Treasurer		$144,135.28
Amount collected during 1939 by Tax Taking, & Tax Titles		6,096.15
Total amount of collection during 1939		$150,231.43

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY C. DAWSON,

Collector of Taxes.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF APPRAISERS

Moth and Tree Warden Departments

January 1, 1940	$	1,269.90
January 1, 1939		1,215.20
Net Gain		51.70

Highway Department

January 1, 1940		10,499.25
January 1, 1939	$	9,437.35
Net Gain		1,061.90

WPA Property

1 Dodge Truck (1930)	$	20.00
1 Chevrolet Truck (1933)		100.00
1 Ford Truck (1931)		100.00
Sewing Machines and Equipment		150.00
Wheelbarrows		12.00
Axes, Shovels, Miscellaneous Tools		175.00
Office Equipment, Forms, etc.		35.00
1 Yard Loader		400.00
Total	$	992.00

Respectfully submitted,

IRVING F. FRENCH,

EVERETT H. KING,

BERNARD H. GREENE,

Appraisers.

REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF MEATS AND PROVISIONS

To the Board of Selectmen, Town of Tewksbury:

Gentlemen:

Following is my report for the inspection of meats and provisions for the year of 1939 from January 1 to December 31, 1939.

Number of Sides of Beef inspected	704
Number of Calves inspected	581
Number of Hogs inspected	790
Number of Sheep inspected	27

Cattle condemned:

Number of Sides of Beef condemned	4
Number of Heads condemned	4
Number of Sets of Lungs condemned	3
Number of Livers condemned	3

Swine condemned:

Number of Swine condemned	12
Number of Heads condemned	13
Number of Sets of Lungs condemned	12
Number of Livers condemned	18

Calves condemned:

Number of Veals condemned	47
Number of Sheep condemned	0

Respectfully submitted,

ASAHEL H. JEWELL,

Inspector of Meats and Provisions.

ASSESSORS' REPORT

Value of land excluding Buildings Jan. 1, 1939	$ 821,681.00
Value of Buildings	2,023,980.00
Value of Personal Property	1,781,050.00
Total Valuation for 1939	$4,626,711.00
Total Valuation for 1938	4,646,671.00
Loss in Valuation	19,960.00

TAX LEVY FOR 1939

State Tax	$ 20,036.77	
County Tax	7,226.34	
Overlays, 1939	2,642.80	
Deficit in Overlays	587.94	
Available Funds	9,200.00	
		$ 30,693.85

TOWN APPROPRIATIONS

Schools	$ 57,530.00
Street Lighting	5,740.00
Incidentals	1,000.00
Highways	16,000.00
School Loan No. 1 and interest	5,127.50
School Loan No. 2 and interest	1,082.50
Library	1,250.00
Police	6,000.00
Stationery and Printing	1,150.00
Board of Health	2,100.00
Park Commission	400.00
Tree Warden	1,200.00
Fire Department	5,000.00
Dept. of Public Welfare	12,000.00
Aid to Dependent Children	3,500.00
Bureau of Old Age Assistance	11,000.00
Town Hall	4,000.00
Assessors	2,300.00
Vocational School	1,000.00
Inspection of Meat and Animals	600.00

Aid State and Military	2,500.00	
Interest on Loans	600.00	
Collection of Taxes	1,200.00	
Municipal Insurance	1,500.00	
Sealer of Weights and Measures	225.00	
Dog Officer	100.00	
Maintenance of Legion Hall	125.00	
Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths	1,000.00	
Auditor	700.00	
Town Clerk	750.00	
Tax Collector	1,500.00	
Selectmen	800.00	
Election Committee	50.00	
Road Commissioners	400.00	
Land Court Expenses	350.00	
W. P. A. Works	10,000.00	
Fire Hose and Equipment	1,000.00	
Town Treasurer	1,300.00	
For Another School Bus	1,500.00	
For Re-Registration	1,300.00	
Maintenance Chapter 90	2,500.00	
School Committee	225.00	
Memorial Day	350.00	
		$ 167,955.00

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND AVAILABLE FUNDS

Income Tax	$ 11,981.35	
Corporation Tax	1,076.42	
Reimbursement State Owned Land	3,306.39	
Motor Vehicle Excise	5,200.00	
Licenses	2,000.00	
Fines	200.00	
Charities other than Federal Aid to Dependent Children	7,500.00	
Old Age Assistance	5,000.00	
General Government	1,000.00	
Schools	2,500.00	
Libraries	5.00	
Interest on Taxes and Assessments	1,857.00	
Veteran Exemption	65.68	
Estimated Receipts from Gas Tax Aug. 14, 1939	8,996.39	
Available Funds	9,200.00	

Surplus Revenue	10,000.00	
Total Amount to be raised	207,648.85	
Total Deductions	69,888.23	
	$ 137,760.62	
Total Valuation on Property		$4,626,711.00
Tax Rate $29.30.		
Total Amount on Property		135,562.62
1099 Polls		2,198.00
Total on Polls and Property		137,760.62
Total Valuation on Automobiles		236,281.00
Amount of Warrants to Collector		7,085.64
Amount taken as Estimated Revenue		5,200.00
Amount Abated		667.94
Balance		$ 1,198.70

TABLE OF AGGREGATES

Number of Dwelling Houses Assessed	1,105
Number of Acres of land	11,771
Horses	74
Cows	685
Neat Cattle	75
Swine	356
Sheep	10
Fowl	10,775
Foxes	10
Persons Assessed	1,949

EXEMPTED PROPERTY

First Congregational Church	$ 50,500.00
First Baptist Society	11,900.00
Oblate Fathers O. M. I.	33,300.00
Roman Catholic Archbishop	2,000.00
South Tewksbury M. E. Mission	5,500.00
Congregation Basai Shalon	2,250.00
Silver Lake Evangelical Association Inc.	17,000.00
Catholic Literary Association	2,250.00
Seraphic Seminary Mount St. Francis	500.00

Tewksbury Cemetery Corporation	11,400.00
Pine Hill Cemetery	1,000.00
Ladies Shawsheen Camping Club Assoc. Inc.	500.00
Women's Home and Foreign Missionary Society A. C. D.	100.00
Good Samaritans Missions Inc.	1,600.00

TOWN AND STATE PROPERTY EXEMPT

Fire Dept. and Legion Hall	$ 20,000.00
School	230,000.00
Public Library	12,000.00
Cemeteries	2,300.00
Highways	2,700.00
Public Parks	3,500.00
Scales	400.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures Equipment	1,500.00
Moth Department Equipment	1,700.00
Police Department	1,700.00
Land Reserved for Fire Protection	1,700.00
Town Hall	79,000.00
Property of Comm. of Mass. Chap. 59 Sec. 5	
Personal	300,000.00
Buildings	$4,000,000.00

Respectfully submitted,

BUZZELL KING,

PERCY L. HAINES,

WILBUR K. FOSS,

Board of Assessors.

This department which deals with all relief, not qualified to receive Old Age Assistance or Aid to Dependent Children, has had in common with all the towns in this neighborhood, very heavy demands on their funds.

Owing to the lay-off of W. P. A. workers on account of the eighteen months rule, costs were increased very heavily during October, November and December as approximately thirty-two families were affected by this rule.

In the summer months, the men obtained some work with the Coleman Brothers Construction Company, but this did not in fact help as much as one would suppose as most men on this job were not welfare recipients, but were taken from Works Projects Administration workers, or Soldiers' Relief. This, of course, helped to absorb the monthly cuts in quota, even though it gave but little aid to the direct relief recipients.

We feel that the expenses for the coming year will not be far from those this year. The eighteen months rule in the Works Projects Administration will not affect us as badly, but the prospect of a heavy cut in quota is probable. Industry will absorb a larger proportion than usual of this, but the outlook of those between forty and sixty-five is not very bright.

We asked last year for $14,000 and $12,000 was appropriated, this was exhausted late in October, and a special Town Meeting was called at which time a quorum was not present and we have been running under Emergency Order since. The deficit amounted to $3,877.46 for which an article is in the Town Warrant.

During the year the cross suits of Boston vs. Tewksbury and Tewksbury vs. Boston have been settled, disposing of a long standing controversy. Besides the above settlement, this department has collected a total of $13,290.39 from State, City, Town and individuals as reimbursement for aid granted under General Welfare, Old Age Assistance and Aid to Dependent Children. We believe an appropriation of $14,000 is necessary for the year 1940.

The following is a recapitulation of the families, and persons represented, aided by the Welfare Department of this town for the year 1939:

	Families	Persons
Town settled cases aided in Tewksbury	66	235
Town settled cases aided by other cities and towns	16	54
Aided in Tewksbury, settled elsewhere	55	211
Hospitalization, members of above families		15
Hospitalization, cases receiving no other relief	12	12
Total	149	527

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Appropriation		$ 12,000.00
Expended for Direct Relief	$ 13,802.18	
Expended for Hospital, Medical, Dental, Burial, Optical	2,075.28	
Total Expended		15,877.46
Net Deficit		$ 3,877.46

Received as Reimbursement for aid granted to cases with settlements elsewhere:

Town of North Andover	$ 212.00	
Town of Billerica	224.70	
Town of Dracut	78.79	
Town of Lexington	31.50	
Town of Wakefield	63.00	
Town of Wilmington	207.81	
City of Chelsea	20.80	
City of Everett	73.85	
City of Malden	380.20	
City of Lowell	433.58	
City of Salem	3.00	
City of Somerville	65.17	
City of Medford	331.60	
Total received from Cities and Towns		$ 2,126.00
Refunds from Individuals		56.28
Commonwealth of Massachusetts		2,315.23
Total Receipts		$ 4,497.51

There is due from the following sources:

Town of Billerica	$ 26.00
Town of North Andover	104.00
City of Lowell	135.50

City of Chelsea	188.76	
City of Malden	244.00	
City of Everett	105.65	
City of Medford	65.81	
City of Cambridge	3.50	
City of Boston	106.62	
Total due from Cities and Towns		$ 977.84
Estimated from the Commonwealth		2,065.43
Total due		$ 3,043.27

REPORT OF AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

As of January 1, 1939, there were eight families representing 24 children, who were receiving this type of assistance. During the year two cases representing seven children were closed and two cases representing nine children approved, and in one family, one child became ineligible, leaving a case load of eight families, 24 persons; on December 31, 1939.

A change in policy by the Federal Government permitted including in the family allowance for reimbursement, those children between the ages of 16 and 18, who were in regular school attendance, thus providing a larger Federal Government participation than was formerly allowed when this age group was not considered.

The Works Projects Administration now feels that cases eligible for this type of relief should be aided by the towns, and not employed on work relief projects, which will result in an increase in our case load.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Appropriation	$ 3,500.00	
Expended	3,705.50	
Net Deficit		$ 205.50
Federal Grants, ADC only	$ 1,101.21	
Expended	1,090.00	
Balance carried forward to 1940		$ 11.21
Federal Grants received, Administration only	$ 154.70	
Expended	151.60	
Balance carried forward to 1940		$ 3.10

Reimbursement received from the Commonwealth	$	1,545.00
Anticipated receipts from the Commonwealth		846.49

REPORT OF BUREAU OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

This department's rolls which on January 1, 1939 carried a total of sixty persons, has remained rather steadily at a level of approximately 58 persons. During the year eleven persons were added to the rolls, of this number two were reopened cases, four were transferred from other cities or towns and five were original applications. By reason of death or removal from this town, 15 cases were closed, leaving 56 active cases as of December 31, 1939.

It is anticipated that expenditures for the year 1940 will amount to $18,500, of this sum it will be necessary for the town to appropriate $9,500 to be used in conjunction with Federal Grants. Approximately $6,100 will be reimbursed as the state's share for Old Age Assistance.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Appropriation, Old Age Assistance only	$	11,000.00	
Expended		10,995.70	
Balance			$4.30
Federal Grants, Old Age Assistance only	$	9,073.90	
Expended		7,899.67	
Balance carried forward to 1940			$ 1,174.23
Federal Grants, Administration only	$	302.41	
Balance from 1938		48.79	
Total available		351.20	
Expended		351.20	
Reimbursements received:			
City of Everett	$	18.44	
City of Malden		42.50	
City of Lowell		111.00	
City of Lynn		34.00	
Town of Winthrop		100.75	
Town of Wilmington		194.00	
Town of Stoneham		40.00	

Town of Arlington	17.50	
Town of Chelmsford	50.00	
Total received from Cities and Towns		$ 608.08
Reimbursement by Individuals		163.65
Received from Commonwealth		6,476.15
Total receipts		$ 7,247.88

There is due from the following sources:

City of Boston	$ 125.00	
Estimated from the Commonwealth	4,032.00	
Total due		$ 4,157.00

The total cost to the Town for all forms of relief has been $30,578.66. We have succeeded in collecting from various sources, $13,290.39, making a net cost of Aid to Dependent Children, Old Age Assistance and General Welfare, $17,288.27.

Respectfully submitted,

EVERETT H. KING,

IRVING F. FRENCH,

BERNARD H. GREENE,

Board of Public Welfare.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

To the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Tewksbury:

Gentlemen:

Following is the report of the Inspector of Animals from January 1, 1939 to December 31, 1939.

Cows inspected	886
Young Cattle inspected	72
Bulls inspected	23
Sheep inspected	1
Hogs inspected	1429
Goats inspected	89
Stables inspected	89

I have released for immediate slaughter 63 head of cattle.

For dairy purposes 46 head of cattle and 12 dogs were quarantined for rabies and released at the end of 14 days.

I have released two cattle after blood tests.

I have found six barns not tested.

Respectfully submitted,

ASAHEL H. JEWELL,

Inspector of Animals.

REPORT OF THE PARK COMMISSIONERS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

As Park Commissioners we submit the following:

During the summer the commons were mowed and raked, the edges and walks were recut. The bandstand was repaired and painted.

The watering trough is now on a permanent setting and a drinking fountain should be installed.

The main mast of the Fag pole was reset and painted. Bids for a new top mast were received from five firms. The lowest bidder was given the contract. The total length of the pole is now 126 feet, 8 inches.

A new curb has been installed on Common Street —150 feet.

The bandstand should receive another coat of paint and a new Flag bought.

We recommend an appropriation of $300.00.

Yours respectfully,

HARRIS M. BRIGGS,

THOS. McAUSLAND,

GEO. MERCIER,

Park Commissioners.

JURY LIST—1940

Name	*Occupation*
ACKLES, WALTER R.	Assembler
ALLEN, HERMAN O	Chauffeur
AMIOT, LOUIS H.	Mill Operator
ANDERSON, RALPH A.	Milk Dealer
BATTLES, C. ABBOTT	Farmer
BLAKE, GEORGE E.	Mechanic
BELL, LESTER W.	Service Man
BLUE, GILBERT A.	Tower Man
BERUBE, LOUIS O.	Agent
BONUGLI, LEO M.	Merchant
BRIGGS, HARRIS M.	Moth Superintendent
BUCHANAN, MALCOLM D.	Poultryman
CARTER, WILLIAM I.	Florist
CAMERON, DUNCAN	Milk Dealer
COLLINS, LESLIE	Laborer
DEWING, WILLIAM H.	Carpenter
DUGAU, FRED A.	Weaver
FAIRBROTHER, HERBERT A.	Supervisor
FARWELL, WALLACE A.	Carpenter
FOSTER, ERNEST A.	Engineer
FRENCH, JESSE J.	Farmer
FRENCH, IRVING F.	Market Gardener
GALE, J. HARPER	Florist
GARLICK, FRED H.	Truck Driver
GOODWIN, WALTER E.	Salesman
GREENE, BERNARD H.	Engineer
GRAY, GUY B.	Clerk
HINTON, EDGAR G.	Filling Station Attendant
HOULIHAN, JEREMIAH	Laborer
KELLEY, ANTHONY G.	Watchman
KELLEY, JOHN H.	Railroad Operator
KING, EVERETT H.	Farmer

JOHNSON, NILS A. ..... Farmer
LUNDQUIST, VICTOR M. ..... Florist
McPHAIL, LAUCHIE ..... Chauffeur
O'CONNELL, PAUL J. ..... Fireman
OLSON, ELMER ..... Tinsmith
REID, ROBERT E. ..... Poultryman
SMITH, EDWARD H. ..... Florist
STAVELY, ROBERT ..... Janitor
TRULL, JOHN A. ..... Farmer
WILLIAMS, CHARLES D. ..... Market Gardener

IRVING F. FRENCH,
EVERETT H. KING,
BERNARD H. GREENE,
Selectmen of Tewksbury.

REPORT OF THE MOTH SUPERINTENDENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

As local agent for the suppression of Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths, I submit the following:

There is a very heavy increase of Gypsy Moths. A large crew of men are now scouting the woodlands, treating egg clusters with creosote. Up to this date they have destroyed 278,409 nests.

During the feeding season a large number of parasites were noticed in the North Section. Wilt disease in the upper Great Swamp Section destroyed thousands.

All street trees were sprayed early to suppress the Gypsy and Tent moths. The elms were sprayed again late in June for Elm Leaf Beetles. Elm trees seem free of the Dutch Elm disease and no Brown Tail Moths found.

All street trees and badly infested woodlands should be sprayed during the feeding season.

The full liability should be appropriated.

Yours respectfully,

HARRIS M. BRIGGS,

Moth Superintendent.

REPORT OF THE TREE WARDEN

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

As Tree Warden I submit the following report:

About 35 miles of brush has been cut. On all curves permission was obtained from land owners and brush was cut to obtain an unobstructed view of at least 200 feet. Thirty-two leaning trees considered dangerous were removed.

Seven trees split during the hurricane were bolted and 17 infected with Slime Flux were treated by boring holes in the trunk to reduce water pressure in the heart wood.

Forty-eight trees which were blown down in 1938 and were erected, reset and guyed are all doing well.

A grant by the Federal Government was allowed for pruning and filling cavities. It was not deemed advisable to start this work till spring owing to a compulsory 30 day lay-off of men.

$1,500.00 should be appropriated for the proper operation of this department.

Yours respectfully,

HARRIS M. BRIGGS,

Tree Warden

REPORT OF THE SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

To the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Tewksbury:

The following is my report for the year 1939 as Sealer of Weights and Measures.

Scales

Platform over 5000 lbs.	3
Platform 100 to 5000 lbs.	8
Counter under 100 lbs.	5
Spring under 100 lbs.	18
Spring over 100 lbs.	2
Computing under 100	8
Personal Weighing	1
Avoirdupois	52

Measures

Liquid	5
Gasoline Pumps, No. of Stops	35
Gasoline Meters	17
Kerosene Pumps	4
Grease Pumps	1
Amount Collected in fees	$26.91

Respectfully submitted

DUNCAN J. CAMERON
Sealer of Weights and Measures.

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

As Chief of the Fire Department, I herewith submit the following report:

Total number of fires attended	147
Forest Fires	70
Grass Fires	48
Chimney Fires	11
Building Fires	13
False Alarms	4
Out-of-Town Fires	1

Total value of buildings and contents: Twenty thousand two hundred and fifty dollars ($20,250).

Damage: Four thousand one hundred and fifty dollars ($4,150.) Insurance paid: Three thousand six hundred and sixty-five dollars ($3,665.)

Laid 1500 feet of 2½ inch hose, 17,650 feet of 1½ inch hose, 41,600 feet of 1 inch hose and used 329 pump cans.

Raised 792 feet of ladders and traveled 586 miles to fires.

Personal property and real estate of the department, thirty-two thousand, five hundred dollars ($32,500.)

Respectfully submitted,

ALDEN S. HAINES,

Chief of Fire Department.

TABLE OF ESTIMATES FOR 1940

Street Lighting	$ 5,770.00
Incidentals	1,000.00
Highways	16,000.00
Schools	59,769.00
Library (Dog Tax)	1,250.00
Police	6,000.00
Stationery and Printing	1,150.00
Board of Health	2,500.00
Park Commission	300.00
Tree Warden	1,500.00
Department of Public Welfare	14,000.00
Aid to Dependent Children (Plus Federal Grants)	4,000.00
Bureau of Old Age Assistance (Plus Federal Grants)	9,500.00
Fire Department	6,000.00
Town Hall	3,800.00
Assessors	2,500.00
Vocational School	1,800.00
Inspection of Meats and Animals	600.00
Aid, State and Military	2,500.00
Interest on Loans	500.00
Collection of Taxes	1,200.00
Municipal Insurance	1,500.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	225.00
Dog Officer	100.00
Maintenance, Legion Headquarters	125.00
Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths	1,500.00
Board of Registrars	650.00

SALARY ACCOUNT

Auditor	$ 700.00
Town Clerk (exclusive of fees)	750.00
Tax Collector	1,500.00
Selectmen	800.00
Election Officers	150.00
School Committee	225.00
Road Commissioners	400.00
Treasurer	1,300.00

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE TEWKSBURY PUBLIC LIBRARY

The trustees of the Public Library submit the following report:

Details of expenditures will be found in the report of the auditor.

Regular monthly meetings have been held with the exception of July and August.

Linoleum has been laid, giving the library room more cheer and an electric clock has been installed.

The trustees wish to thank Miss Abbie Blaisdell and her capable assistants for their continued cooperation.

The magazine list is added to generously each year and still the demand has not been met. The report of the librarian shows that 701 books have been added.

It is hoped that the request for $1,250.00 found in the warrant together with money received from dog licenses be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY PRIESTLY,

RUTH W. SMITH,

EDGAR SMITH,

DOROTHY FITZGERALD,

HAROLD J. PATTEN,

MARIAN E. FRENCH, Secretary,

Trustees Public Library.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT
TEWKSBURY PUBLIC LIBRARY

To the Trustees of the Tewksbury Public Library:

The following report is respectfully submitted:

The circulation of books is about the same while the circulation of magazines shows a large increase. Two copies each of Child Life, Life, National Geographic, Popular Mechanics, and Readers' Digest have been added to meet the growing demands for these magazines.

A large donation of books was received from Mrs. A. M. Ransden for which we are very grateful.

A number of books were bought by request and a number of others were borrowed from the State Lending Library for patrons. The librarians request the prompt return of all books when due. The library is open on Wednesday afternoons from 1.45 to 4.00; Wednesday evenings from 7.00 to 8.30; and Saturdays from 2.00 to 9.00 p.m. Legal holidays and the August vacation excepted.

CIRCULATION OF BOOKS AT THE LIBRARY

Wednesday Afternoons

Fiction	1133	Religion	4
History	10	Sociology	3
Literature	6	Science	12
Travel	37	Poetry	7
Arts	22	Philosophy	3
Biography	27	Total	1264

Wednesday Evenings

Fiction	3271	Religion	11
History	36	Sociology	31
Literature	10	Science	17
Travel	68	Poetry	23
Arts	50	Philosophy	6
Biography	57	Total	3580

Saturdays

Fiction	9289	Religion	17
History	83	Sociology	67
Literature	27	Science	80
Travel	177	Poetry	65
Arts	178	Philosophy	31
Biography	139	Total	10,151

Wednesdays and Saturdays, 14,997

Total Circulation, Library and Districts, 16,953

Wamesit

Fiction	630	Religion	
History		Sociology	
Literature		Science	
Travel		Poetry	
Arts		Philosophy	
Biography		Total	630

Mrs. Randolph Fitzgerald

Fiction	584	Religion	1
History	1	Sociology	3
Literature	1	Science	2
Travel	10	Poetry	2
Arts	6	Philosophy	3
Biography	15	Total	628

Silver Lake Bakery

Fiction	693	Religion	2
History		Sociology	1
Literature	1	Science	
Travel		Poetry	1
Arts		Philosophy	
Biography		Total	698

Total Circulation in Districts, 1956,

CIRCULATION OF MAGAZINES

American	85	Ladies' Home Journal	55
American Boy	17	Life	252
American Cookery	28	Life and Health	6
American Girl	54	McCall's	51
American Home	88	National Geographic	123
Atlantic Monthly	40	Opportunity	
Better Homes and Gardens	79	Outdoor Life	
Child Life	162	Pictorial Review	17
Children's Playmate	132	Popular Mechanics	148
Consumers' Digest	1	Readers' Digest	72
Cosmopolitan	57	Scribner's	16
Good Housekeeping	69	Time	30
Harper's	29	Wee Wisdom	5
House Beautiful	95	Woman's Home Companion	55
Hygeia	39	Others	25
Jack and Jill	54	Total	1893

BOOKS ADDED TO THE PUBLIC LIBRARY

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Fiction

Abbot, Jane. To Have To Keep.
Adams, Frank R. Gunsight Ranch.
Adams, Stuart. Range War in Squaw Valley.
Aldrich, Bess Streeter. Song of Years.
Atkey, Bertram. Arsenic and Gold.
Aydelotte, Dora. Full Harvest.

Bacon, Josephine Daskam. The Root and the Flower.
Baldwin, Faith. The High Road.
Baldwin, Faith. Hotel Hostess.
Baldwin, Faith. Career By Proxy.
Baldwin, Faith. White Magic.
Baldwin, Faith. American Family.
Baldwin, Faith. District Nurse.
Baldwin, Faith. Heart Has Wings.
Baldwin, Faith. Innocent Bystander.
Baldwin, Faith. Puritan Strain.
Baldwin, Faith. Private Duty.

Baldwin, Faith. Station Wagon Set.
Baldwin, Faith. White Collar Girl.
Bassett, Sara Ware. A Son of the Sea.
Beach, Rex. The Valley of Thunder.
Beeding, Francis. He Could Not Have Slipped.
Bell, Douglas. Elizabethan Seamen.
Benefield, Barry. April Was When It Began.
Bennet, Robert Ames. The Brand Blotter.
Bennet, Robert Ames. Sheepman's Gold.
Berkeley, Anthony. Death in the House.
Berger, Josef. Swordfisherman Jim.
Blodgett, Ruth. Down East Duchess.
Bianco, Margery. Other People's Houses.
Blake, Nicholas. The Smiler With the Knife.
Bottome, Phyllis. Danger Signal.
Boutell, Anita. Death Has a Past.
Bowen, Elizabeth. The Death of the Heart.
Bower, B. M. A Starry Night.
Boylston, Helen Dore. Sue Barton, Rural Nurse.
Brand, Max. Fghtin' Fool.
Brand, Max. Sudden Rides Again.
Brand, Max. Marbleface.
Bridge, Ann. Four Part Setting.
Bromfield, Louis. It Takes All Kinds.
Browne, Eleanor. On the Side of Romance.
Browne, Eleanor. Tomorrow Comes Never.
Buchan, John (Lord Tweedsmuir). Adventure of Richard Hannay.
Buck, Pearl. The Patriot.
Burroughs, Edgar Rice. Tarzan the Magnificent.
Burt, Katharine Newlin. If Love I Must.
Burt, Katharine Newlin. Men of Moon Mountain.

Cameron, Caddo. Due For a Hangin'.
Campbell, Harriette R. The Moor Fires Mystery.
Canfield, Dorothy. Seasoned Timber.
Carew, Jean. Paging Cupid.
Carfrae, Elizabeth. Seascape.
Carr, John Dickson. The Problem of the Green Capsule.
Carr, John Dickson. The Problem of the Wire Cage.
Carroll, Eleanor Elliott. Passport to Eden.
Chadwick, Dorothy. More Than Music.
Charteris, Leslie. Follow the Saint.
Chase, Mary Ellen. A Goodly Fellowship.
Christie, Agatha. The Regatta Mystery.
Christie, Agatha. Murder For Christmas.
Christie, Agatha. Easy to Kill.
Christie, May. Women in Love.

Clarke, J. Calvitt. Graduate Nurse.
Clason, Clyde B. Murder Gone Minoan.
Cloete, Stuart. Watch For the Dawn.
Cole, Natalie. Airline Hostess.
Colt, Clem. The Bar Nothing Brand.
Colver, Alice Ross. Adventure on a Hilltop.
Colver, Alice Ross. Modern Madonna.
Colver, Alice Ross. I Have Been Little Too Long.
Colver, Anne. Listen For the Voices.
Condon, Helen B. State College.
Corbett, Elizabeth. The Far Down.
Corbett, Elizabeth. Charley Manning.
Corby, Ruth Rosemary. Without Benefit of Glamour
Conn, Galen C. The Lobos of Devil's Sink.
Coxe, George Harman. Four Frightened Women.
Coyle, Kathleen. Immortal Ease.
Crofts, Freeman Wills. Tragedy in the Hollow.
Crofts, Freeman Wills. Antidote to Venom.
Cunningham, Eugene. Gun Bulldogger.
Cunningham, Eugene. Red Range.
Cunningham, Louis Arthur. Of These Three Loves.
Cushman, Clarissa Fairchild. The Other Brother.

Damon, Bertha. Grandma Called It Carnal.
Davis, Frederick. He Wouldn't Stay Dead.
Dean, Elizabeth. Murder is a Collector's Item.
Deeping, Warwick. Martin Valliant.
Deeping, Warwick. Blue Water.
Deeping, Warwick. Folly Island.
Deming, Dorothy, R. N. Penny Marsh.
Deming, Dorothy, R. N. Public Health Nurse.
Dickens, Monica. One Pair of Hands.
Dickson, Carter. The Reader is Warned.
Dodge, Constance. Strange Gods.
Doner, Mary Frances. Gallant Traitor.
Douglas, Lloyd C. Disputed Passage.
Douglas, Lloyd C. Dr. Hudson's Secret Journal.
Downes, Anne Miller. So Stands the Rock.
Du Bois, Theodora. Death Dines Out.
Du Bois, Theodora. Death Tears a Comic Strip.
Duffield, Anne. Gay Fiesta.
Duffield, Anne. Brief Rapture.
Duffield, Anne. High Heaven.
Duffield, Anne. Karen's Memory.
Du Maurier. Rebecca—2c.

Eberhardt, Mignon. The Chiffon Scarf.

Edwards, James G., M. D. Death Elects a Mayor.
Ellsberg, Commander Edward. Ocean Gold.
Ellsberg, Commander Edward. On the Bottom.
Ellsberg, Commander Edward. Spanish Ingots.
Ellsberg, Commander Edward. Pigboats.
Ellsberg, Commander Edward. S-54.
Ellsberg, Commander Edward. Thirty Fathoms Deep.
Ellsberg, Commander Edward. Men Under the Sea.
Emery, Stewart. Millions For Marty.
Ermine, Will. Rustler's Moon.
Ermine, Will. Cowboy Say Your Prayers.
Ermine, Will. Singing Lariat.
Ertz, Susan. Big Frogs and Little Frogs.
Ertz, Susan. One Fight More.

Ferguson, Blanche Smith.Gilded Dust.
Field, Peter. Doctor Two Guns.
Field, Peter. The Tenderfoot Kid.
Fischer, Pauline Benedict. Clay Acres.
Flint, Margaret. Breakneck Brook.
Footner, Hulbert. The Nation's Missing Guest.
Footner, Hulbert. The Murder That Had Everything.
Ford, Leslie. Reno Rendezvous.
Ford, Leslie. False to Any Man.
Forester, C. S. Captain Horatio Hornblower.
Foster, Bennett. Riders of the Rifle Rock.
Foster, Bennett. The Mustangers.
Foster, Bennett. Blackleg Range.
Foster, Gerald. Half-Mile to Heaven.
Fox, Jessie Douglas. The House on Lark Street.
Frayne, Elizabeth. A Year With Juliet.
Frayne, Elizabeth. Champagne in Sunshine.
Freeman, R. Austin. The Stoneware Monkey.
French, Allen. The Red Keep.
Frome, David. Mr. Pinkerton at Old Angel.

Gallico, Paul. Adventures of Hiram Holliday.
Gardner, Erle Stanley. The Case of the Perjured Parrot.
Gardner, Erle Stanley. The Case of the Rolling Bones.
Garth, David. Eastward to Eden.
Gibbs, George. The Silver Death.
Gibbs, Philip. This Nettle, Danger.
Gill, Tom. Fire Brand.
Golding, Louis. Mr. Emmanuel.
Goudge, Elizabeth. The Middle Window.
Goudge, Elizabeth. The Sister of the Angels.
Grayson, Rupert. Gunston Cotton.

Grayson, Rupert. Secret Airman.
Greene, Anne. Paris.
Gregory, Jackson. Mad O'Hara.
Gregory, Jackson. Rocky Bend.
Gregory, Jackson. Secret Valley.
Grey, Zane. Knights of the Saddle.
Grey, Zane. Western Union.
Grey, Zane. Arizona Ames.
Grey, Zane. Border Legion.
Grey, Zane. Call of the Canyon.
Grey, Zane. Code of the West.
Grey, Zane. Desert Gold.
Grey, Zane. Drift Fence.
Grey, Zane. Fighting Caravan.
Grey, Zane. Forlorn River.
Grey, Zane. Hashknife Outfit.
Grey, Zane. Heritage of the Desert.
Grey, Zane. Light of the Western Stars.
Grey, Zane. Lone Star Ranger.
Grey, Zane. The Man of the Forest.
Grey, Zane. Mysterious Rider.
Grey, Zane. Nevada.
Grey, Zane. Raiders of the Spanish Peak.
Grey, Zane. Rainbow Trail.
Grey, Zane. Riders of the Purple Sage.
Grey, Zane. Robbers' Roost.
Grey, Zane. Shepherd of Gaudaloupe.
Grimstead, J. E. The Texas Trail.
Groseclose, Elgin. Ararat.
Gruber, Frank. Peace Marshal.
Gunn, Tom. Painted Post Law.

Hackett, Francis. Queen Anne Boleyn.
Hallet, Richard Matthew. Michael Bean.
Hancock, Lucy Agnes. Nurse in White.
Hanna, Frances. High Tide.
Harper, Wilhelmina. Flying Hoofs.
Harper, Wilhelmina. Stories of Horses.
Harris, Larry A. The Maverick Legion.
Hanck, Louise Platt. Juliet Inc.
Hanck, Louise Platt. Dear Deborah.
Haycox, Ernest. The Border Trumpet.
Hayes, Timothy. Fighting Sheriff.
Henderson, George C. The Cowpokes of Bitter Creek.
Hendrick, Edward P. Copper Coleson's Ghost.
Hendryx, James B. Black John or Halfaday Creek.
Hewes, Agnes Danforth. The Sword of Roland Arnot.

Heyer, Georgette. A Blunt Instrument.
Hill, Grace L. A Voice in the Wilderness.
Hill, Grace L. The Seventh Hour.
Hill, Grace L. Patricia.
Hill, Grace L. Stranger Within the Gates.
Hilton, Francis W. Skyline Riders.
Holton, Edith Austin. Captain Bodfish Takes Command.
Holton, Edith Austin. Wait For the Tide.
Homes, Goeffrey. Then Three Were Three.
Homes, Goeffrey. No Hands on the Clock.
Household, Goeffrey. Rogue Male.
Howard, Warren. End of the Lane.
Howard, Warren. Hilltop.
Hueston, Ethel. The Honorable Uncle Lancy.
Hughes, Richard. In Hazard.
Hull, Helen. Frost Flower.
Humphries, Adelaide. Trial Flight.

Irwin, Margaret. The Bride.

James, Dan. West of the Sunset.
Jennings, John. Next to Valour.
Jones, Louise. The Shining Spirit.
Jordan, Elizabeth. After the Verdict.

Kantor, MacKinlay. Valedictory.
Kantor, MacKinlay. The Noise of Their Wings.
Keating, Lawrence A. The Bar K.
Kelland, Clarence Budington. Arizona.
Kelly, Eric P. At the Sign of the Golden Compass.
Kent, Louise Andrews. Paul Revere Square.
Keyes, Frances Parkinson. The Great Tradition.
King, Rufus. Murder Masks Miami.
Knight, Clifford. The Affair of the Painted Desert.
Knight, Clifford. The Affair of the Black Sombrero.
Kramer, Horace. Marginal Land.
Krause, Herbert. Wind Without Rain.
Kummer, Frederic A. Leif Erikson, The Lucky.

Lambert, Reita. Beauty Incorporated.

Lancaster, Bruce and Lowell, Brentano } Bride of Thousand Cedars.

Lawrence, Josephine. A Good Home.
Lawrence, Josephine. With Nice People.
Le Blanc, Doris Kent. One Was Valiant.

Lea, Fanny Heaslip. Not For Just An Hour.
Lee, Ranger. The Red Gash Outlaw.
Lincoln, Joseph C. Cape Cod Yesterdays.
Lincoln, Joseph C. and Lincoln, Freeman } The Ownley Inn.
Lomax, Bliss. Colt Comrades.
Long, Max. Murder Between Dark and Dark.
Lorden, Angelo. I'll Remember in April.
Lorimer, Graeme and Sarah. Acquittal.
Loring, Emilie. Across the Years.
Loring, Peter. Miss Rolling Stone.
Lowe, Eric. Salute to Freedom.

McCord, Joseph. A Husband For Hiliary.
McCord, Joseph. Sweet For a Season.
MacDonald, William. Colt Six-Shooter Show Down.
McIntire, Margaret. Free and Clear.
McKenney, Ruth. My Sister Eileen.
MacVeigh, Sue. Grand Central Murder.
MacVeigh, Sue. Murder Under Construction.
Maize, Lillian Taft. Star of Hope.
Malraux, André. Man's Hope.
Mann, E. B. Gun Feud.
Manning, Mary. Mount Venus.
Marquand, John P. Wickford Point.
Marsh, George. Vanished Men.
Marsh, Howard R. Six Gun Justice.
Martin, Helen R. The Ordeal of Minnie Schultz.
Masefield, John. Live and Kicking Ned.
Mason, Van Wyck. The Singapore Exile Murders.
Miller, Helen Topping. Next to My Heart.
Miller, Tevis. Partners of the Saddle.
Mitchell, Margaret. Gone With the Wind.
Montgomery, L. M. Emily Climbs.
Montgomery, L. M. Anne of Ingleside.
Moore, Amos. Outlaw Country.
Moore, Amos. Death Rides the Desert.
Morgan, Stella E. Again the River.
Morland, Nigel. A Rope For the Hanging.
Morland, Nigel. Murder at Radio City.
Morrow, Del. Rustlers of Bar T.
Morrow, Honoré. Demon's Daughter.
Morton, Anthony. Alias Blue Mask.
Morton, Anthony. Challenge Blue Mask.

Norris, Kathleen. The Runaway.

Norris, Kathleen. Lost Sunrise.
North, Charles. Beware of the Dog.

O'Brien, Edward J. The Best Short Stories of 1939.
Offord, Lenore Glen. Cloth of Silver.
Oppenheim, E. Phillips. Exit a Dictator.
Oppenheim, E. Phillips. A Pulpit in the Grill Room.
Oppenheim, E. Phillips. Sir Adam Disappeared.
Ostanso, Martha. The Mandarin Root.
Oxenham, John. The Hidden Years.

Page, Elizabeth. The Tree of Liberty.
Patterson, Anne. Take These Hands.
Patterson, Norma. Give Them Their Dreams.
Partridge, Helen. Time is Forever.
Pease, Howard. Highroad to Adventure.
Pentecost, Hugh. Cancelled in Red.
Pern, Winifred. Stories From the Poets.
Pinkerton, Kathrene. Wilderness Wife.
Presnell, F. G. Send Another Coffin.
Propper, Milton. Hide the Body.

Raine, William MacLeod. Moran Beats Back.
Raine, William MacLeod. The River Bend.
Rame, David. Wine of Good Hope.
Randall, Jean. Priscilla Won't.
Rath, Virginia. Murder With a Theme Song.
Rawson, Clayton. The Footprints on the Ceiling.
Reardon, Joseph. Blue Mesa Trail.
Rees, Rosemary. You'll Never Fail Me.
Reilly, Helen. All Concerned Notified.
Rhode, John. Death Pays a Dividend.

Rhode, John and Dickson, Carter } Fatal Descent.

Rice, Alice Hegan. Our Ernie.
Roberts, Cecil. They Wanted to Live.
Robins, Denise. Set Me Free.
Roche, Mazo dela. Jalna.
Roche, Mazo dela. Young Renny.
Rodney, George B. Guns of Smoky Fork.
Rodney, George B. Gunpowder Heritage.
Rohmer, Sax. The Drums of Fu Manchu.
Rosman, Alice Grant. William's Room.
Ruck, Berta. Handmaid to Fame.

Sabatini, Rafael. The Sword of Islam.

Safford, Henry Barnard. Soft Money.
Salten, Felix. Perri.
Sawyer, Topliffe. Cavalryman.
Seeley, Mabel. The Crying Sisters.
Seltzer, Charles Alden. Arizona Jim.
Seifert, Elizabeth. A Great Day.
Sharp, Margery. Harlequin House.
Shippey, Lee. If We Only Had Money.
Short, Luke. Raiders of the Rimrock.
Shute, Nevil. Ordeal.
Sims, Marian. Memo to Timothy Sheldon.
Smith, Arnold. The Law's Outlaw.
Snow, Charles H. Guns Along the Border.
Snow, Charles H. Riders of the Range.
Stackpole, Edouard. Mutiny at Midnight.
Stebbins, Lucy Coate. Peacock Place.
Steel, Kurt. Crooked Shadow.
Stevenson, D. E. The Story of Rosabelle Shaw.
Stevenson, D. E. The Baker's Daughter.
Stevenson, D. E. A World in Spell.
Stevenson, D. E. The Green Money.
Stout, Rex. Some Buried Caesar.
Stringer, Arthur. The Dark Wing.
Sublette, C. M. Green Horn's Hunt.

Taylor, Katharine Haviland. Daughter of Divorcee.
Taylor, Katharine Haviland. Back Roads.
Taylor, Phoebe Atwood. Spring Harrowing.
Temple, W. H. The Rebel of Powling.
Terhune, Albert Payson. Grudge Mountain.
Thayer, Lee. Lightning Strikes Twice.
Thayer, Lee. Stark Murder.
Thirkell, Angela. The Brandons.
Thompson, Sylvia. The Adventures of Christopher Columin.
Thurman, Harriett. And So My Heart.
Tilton, Alice. Cold Steal.
Train, Arthur. My Day in Court.
Tunis, John R. The Duke Decides.
Tuttle, W. C. The Medicine Man.

Vance, Ethel. Escape.
Van Dine, S. S. The Winter Murder Case.
Van Dine, S. S. The Gracie Allen Murder Case.

Waite, Phyllis. Challenge to Candia.
Waite, Phyllis. Dear Lady Disdain.
Walker, Dorothy. She Married a Doctor.

Walker, Mildred. Dr. Norton's Wife.
Walling, R. A. J. The Corpse With the Blistered Hand.
Walpole, Hugh. The Sea Tower.
Walsh, Maurice. Sons of the Swordmaker.
Waugh, Alec. Going Their Own Ways.
Webster, Kitchell, Jr. Pass in Review.
Wees, Frances Shelley. Lost House.
Wells, Carolyn. Crime Tears On.
Wells, Carolyn. The Killer.
Wells, Carolyn. The Importance of Being Murdered.
Wells, Carolyn. Calling All Suspects.
Westland, Lynn. The Range of No Return.
Wentworth, Patricia. The Blind Slide.
White, Ared. Seven Tickets to Singapore.
White, General Ared. Attack on America.
White, Samuel Alexander. Morgan of the Mounted.
Whitehorne, Earl. Super Cargo.
Widdemer, Mabel Cleland. The Dawn is Silver.
Widdemer, Margaret. She Knew Three Brothers.
Widdemer, Margaret. Ladies Go Masked.
Williams, Ursula Moray. Elaine of the Mountains.
Williamson, Maude. If Love Means This.
Williams, Valentine. The Fox Prowls.
Willoughby, Barrett. Sondra O'Moore.
Wright, Judith Grovner. Coronation For Cinderella.
Wynne, Anthony. Door Nails Never Die.

Young, Frances Brett. This City of Gold.
Young, Gordon. Red Clark Two-Gun Man.

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Addington, Sarah. Grammar Town.
Addington, Sarah. Jerry Juddikins.
Ambrose, Blanche Ashley. Coppa Hands.
Andrews, Ned. The Lost Chicken Henry
Ashmun, Margaret. David and the Bear Man.
Averill, Naomi. text and pictures. Whistling Two Teeth and the Forty-nine Buffaloes.

Bacon, Peggy. The Mystery at East Hatchett.

Bailey, Bernadine. Little Greta of Denmark.
Baker, Nina Brown. The Luck of the Salabars.
Barbour, Ralph Henry. The Last Quarter.
Baum, Frank L. Dorothy and the Wizard of Oz.
Baum, Frank L. Land of Oz.
Baum, Frank L. The Patchwork Girl of Oz.
Baum, Frank L. The Road to Oz.
Baum, Frank L. The Emerald City of Oz.
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Baum, Frank L. The Wizard of Oz. (2 copies)
Thompson, Ruth Plumly. Ozoplaning With the Wizard of Oz.
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Berry, Erick. Go and Find Wind.
Beston, Henry. Five Bears and Miranda.
Bianco, Margery. The Starlit Journey.
Blake, Gladys. The Mystery of the Silver Chain.
Bowen, Olwen. A Terrier's Tale.
Boyd, James. Bitter Creek.
Boyd, Pearle M. Mike.
Brandeis,Madeline. The Children of All Lands Stories.
Brandeis, Madeline. The Little Indian Weaver.
Brandeis, Madeline. The Wee Scotch Piper.
Brandeis, Madeline. The Little Swiss Wood Carver.
Brandeis, Madeline. The Little Dutch Tulip Girl.
Brandeis, Madeline. Little Jeanne of France.
Brandeis, Madeline. Shaun O'Day of Ireland.
Brandeis, Madeline. Little Philippe of Belgium.
Brandeis, Madeline. The Little Mexican Donkey Boy.
Brandeis, Madeline. Little Anne of Canada.
Brendeis, Madeline. Mitz and Fritz of Germany.
Brandeis, Madeline. Little Tony of Italy.
Brandeis, Madeline. Little Tom of England.
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TEWKSBURY POLICE DEPARTMENT

1939

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REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE

DECEMBER 31, 1939

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:
Gentlemen:—

I respectfully submit the annual report of the Tewksbury Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1939.

Total number of arrests: 90.

	(F)	(M)	
1—Crimes against the person			1
Assault and battery		1	
2—Crimes against Property			5
Larceny		3	
Unlawful use of an automobile		2	
3—Crimes against Public Order, Etc.			84
Drunkenness		71	
Delinquency	1	1	
Illegitamacy		2	
Driving motor vehicle so as to endanger lives		1	
Violating Motor Laws	1	3	
Violating Transient Vendors law		1	
Illegal possession of liquor at MSI		1	
For safe keeping		2	

Recapitulation:

1—Against person		1	
—Against property		5	
3—Against public order, etc	2	82	
Totals	2	88	90

Disposition of cases:

Lowell District Court

Guilty	75
Not Guilty	4
Released	5
Disposition pending	1
Committed to jail or State Farm	38
Placed on probation or filed	33
Fined	4

Turned over to other Departments	3
Committed to State Institutions	2
Sessions District Court attended	94
Sessions Civil Court attended	6
Number of telephone calls received at office	3498
Number of telephone calls received at Chief's home	2976
Complaints received and investigated	387
Automobile accidents investigated	52
State and/or Town highway dep't notified of ice or snow	5
Messages delivered	22
Persons transported to and/or from hospitals	11
Dogs reported hit by automobiles	20
Number of private hearings held	24
Summons served	56
Investigation made for Welfare Department	2
Number of persons transported for Welfare Department	10
Calls received for Dog Officer	7
Sudden deaths investigated	5
Investigation with or for Lowell Humane Society	4
Public functions "covered"	58
Funerals at which traffic duty was done	9
Fires attended	7
Missing persons	19
Doors, Windows found open; lights on in buildings, etc.	23
Street lights out, poles and wires down, and LEL notified	11
Lost animals	2
Stolen cars recovered	6
Value of merchandise recovered	$3100.75
Dog bites reported to Animal Inspector	5
Gunshot wound cases reported and investigated	3
Automobiles reported stolen	?
Automobile transfers received	80
Sets of registrations recovered at request of Registrar	16
Miles travelled in Police work	28,635

During the year a School Safety Patrol was organized in each of the elementary schools, The Foster, The Shawsheen and the Ella E. Flemings. This patrol being sponsored by the Tewksbury Post of the American Legion. The patrol is working very effectively in all sections of the town, in making the children safety conscious.

I would like to express at this time my appreciation to the teachers of our elementary schools for their assistance in organizing and carrying out the work of this patrol.

I wish to acknowledge the co-operation extended me by the Board of Selectmen, and the citizens of the Town of Tewksbury. I wish to thank my brother officers for the loyal way in which they have served their townspeople as police officers. Our appreciation is also extended to Supt. Michael H. Winn and his department for their co-operation, and to Harry A. Morrison, Radio Technician, who has serviced our two-way radio in the cruising car.

Respectfully submitted,

CYRIL L. BARKER,

Chief of Police.

REPORT OF WORKS PROJECTS ADMINISTRATION

At the beginning of the year, all manual labor was on Forest clearance projects and continued until the first of April; clearing up debris from the hurricane of September 1938. This work consisted of trimming trees, and burning of the brush in dangerous areas. It also consisted of clearing out old wood roads, making them passable for fire apparatus, thus reducing the risk of large forest fires in the wooded areas.

Since the first of April, the following work has been completed: At the High School, the west boundary of the Athletic Field has been fenced with a six foot chain link fence, gates have been installed and the baseball backstop completed. Considerable grading has been done on the northwest corner of the field. The field was maintained this summer by National Youth Administration labor and some work was done at the opening of the school year at the Spaulding School by this same group.

During the year at the request of the Highway Commissioners, 6,716 feet of 12 inch cement drainage pipe was installed along Chandler, Pike, Astle, Fiske Streets and Bailey Road. This work involved the laying of pipe and installation of 29 catch basins at points requested by the Superintendent of Streets.

Under Farm to Market Road Projects, the following work has been accomplished:

South Street: 2623 ft. widened, gravelled, shaped and 3243 gals. of oil applied.

Shawsheen Street: 2728 ft. widened, gravelled, shaped and partially oiled, 2500 gals. of oil being applied.

McLaren Road: 1600 ft. widened, gravelled and numerous stumps and trees removed.

Pine Street: 1275 ft. removed necessary stumps and trees along side of way and application of a coat of gravel. This road is still being worked on.

The Federal Engineer insisted that a loader be installed if gravel was to be taken from the pit for use upon all Farm to Market Road Projects. A loader was hired during the summer and after a trial was purchased. It has worked satisfactorily and has met with the engineers approval. The three trucks owned by this department are worn out and should be replaced during the coming year.

A rather extensive scouting and creosoting project operated during the spring months, (for the control of insect pests) also provided for the spraying of the roadsides, and more easily reached forest areas which were found infested. It also provided for some work in eliminating tent caterpillar nests. This project was suspended as of July 1, 1939 by reason of an agreement between the State Department of Conservation and the Works Projects Administration.

By a provision of the law which went into effect July 1, 1939, all persons who had 18 months continuous service on WPA were laid off. They were not to be re-assigned for 30 days, and only after persons certified and never employed on WPA had been assigned were they eligible for re-assignment. This caused considerable confusion to our projects and experienced workers who were valuable in the progress of the project were replaced with men who had never had experience in this class of work. During the coming year the lay-offs will be more staggered and should not be numerous enough to effect the progress of any project.

At the present time there are three manual projects in operation. Farm to Market Road Project on Pine and Patten Streets; a project for the clearing of land owned by the town on Pine and Pond Streets, and a Gypsy Moth Project under the direction of the Tree Warden.

Eleven women are employed on the Sewing Project, and ten persons are working at the State Infirmary on a Hospital Records Project.

In estimating expenses for the current year it is necessary to figure material costs for approximately 960 man months, which will call for a Federal Payroll of about $50,000. There are at present projects approved which involve this figure. But of course, new projects must be submitted to assure that there will be no lack of projects at the end of 1940. A sidewalk project has been submitted, and is at present in the process of approval, which calls for a large material cost. It seems better to ask the town to appropriate this item separately from the regular WPA Material Fund, as the project calls for $5628 as the town's share for material and provides only 135 man months in the labor column, which is over $40 per man month as against the usual $15 to $17 expected as a maximum.

I recommend that the sum of $10,000 be appropriated for regular WPA operating expenses, and such action on the sidewalk article as the town sees fit to take. Our last personnel report shows that on January 1, 1940, there were 84 persons on Works Projects Administration payrolls.

I wish to thank the officials of the Highway Department for their advice and co-operation in the work on the various road projects and also the Chief of the Fire Department for his assistance during the spring months when our force of men were engaged on the forest clearance project.

Respectfully submitted,

EVERETT H. KING,

Sponsor's Agent.

REPORT OF ROAD COMMISSIONERS AND SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

Board of Selectmen
Tewksbury, Mass.
Gentlemen:

The following is our report for the year ending December 31, 1939.

CHAPTER 81, AND GENERAL HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE

Our Highway Department has carried out the usual working program, which includes the patching, graveling and bituminous treatment of the Streets.

Bound stones have been set on the following streets:

Glenwood Road
McLaren Road
School Street Extention

We are gradually building up the streets that were accepted during the past few years. While it is impossible to finish these streets in a year, we are pleased to report that we have made a good headway on them.

Work on the Farm to Market roads, a W. P. A. project, has continued this year. This project has proven to be a very helpful one to our Highway Department.

This Department is and has been most anxious to keep the men steadily employed. With the exception of two weeks last June our men have had regular employment. This short lay-off was due to a delay in receiving our State allotments. To keep our men steadily employed the year round requires considerable advance planning, and even without the aid of our Chapter 90 Construction allotment, we are pleased to report that our Highway Department suffered no greater layoff than the short period mentioned.

The following tables give the amount of material used on the various streets during the year 1939.

TAR, OIL, CUT-BACK AND SAND

Street	Tar Gals.	Oil Gals.	Cut-Back Gals.	Sand Cu. Yds.
North Street	8149			116
Livingston Street		9333		86
Whipple Road	7499		7299	220
Shawsheen Street	5422			44
East Street			8447	
Salem Road		650		8
Maple Street		1516		26
Lowe Street		1487		16
Ballard Street		1000		12
Pinnacle Street		1985		34
Vale Street			1447	22
Helvetia Street	3014			54
Chandler Street			2938	50
Pine Street			1441	24
Kendall Street		1506		18
Pike Street			1488	20
Rogers Street			1910	68
Marston Street			1495	24
French Street			2970	22
Dewey Street	1000			20
Town Hall Avenue	250			8
Common Street	250			10
Boston Road	990			20
Clark Road		1515		18
Astle Street	1014			24
Trull Road	2002			34
River Road			2909	18
Hood Road			2262	56
Lee Street			1500	19
Dock Street			772	10
Andover Street		474		
Marshall Street		2277		32
Lake Street		998		16
Vernon Street	1003			18
Bay State Road	1010			20

Billerica Street		432		10
Hill Street	721			8
Chapman Street	2004			16
Pleasant Street			5129	
Woburn Street		500		12
Town Yard	1758			250
Sand for Ice				552

PEA GRAVEL & PEA STONE

Street	Pea-Grav. Tons	Pea Stone Tons
Maple Street	5	
Lowe Street	3	
Pleasant Street	151	230.70
Whipple Road	150	
Chapman Street	43	
North Street	50	
Andover Street	27	
Woburn Street	26.54	
Shawsheen Street	100	
East Street	227	440
At Barn		53.90

GRAVEL

Street	Cu. Yds.	Street	Cu. Yds.
North Street	562	Washington Street	838
Livingston Street	1062	McLaren Road	856
Maple Road	10	Whipple Road	72
Walnut Street	38	Water Street	142
Parker Avenue	76	Cross Street	138
Rosemary Road	376	Elm Avenue	556
Forest Avenue	352	Walcott Street	274
Shawsheen Street	1826	South Street	1742
Salem Road	2	Sunnyslope Avenue	44
Patten Street	18	Pond Street	1230
Pine Street	1024	Trull Road	408
Andover Street	36	Hill Street	174
Chapman Street	40	Glenwood Road	410

CULVERTS, CATCH BASINS AND PIPE

New Corrugated metal culverts, catch basins and pipe were installed on the following streets:

Street	Kind	Diameter in Inches	Location
Livingston Street	Corr. Paved Coated	18	Near Kendall & North Sts.
Chandler Street	Corr. Paved Coated	24	Corner of Pine Street.
South Street	Corr. Paved Coated	18	
East Street	Catch Basin		Near R. R. crossing at State Infirmary.
East Street	Catch Basin		Near main entrance to State Infirmary.
Chandler Street	Catch Basin		Corner of Pine Street.
Town Hall Avenue	Catch Basin		Near Coomb's Res.
Andover Street	Catch Basin		Near Bernat's Res.
Astle Street	Catch Basin		Near Johnson's Res.
Astle Street	Catch Basin		Near Johnson's Res.
North Street	Catch Basin		Near Livingston St.
North Street	Catch Basin		Near Livingston St.
North Street	Catch Basin		Near Livingston St.
North Street	Catch Basin		Near Livingston St.
North Street	114 Ft. 12 In. Plain Concrete Pipe.		
North Street	252 Ft. 12 In. Reinforced Concrete Pipe.		
Astle Street	45 Ft. 15 In. Plain Concrete Pipe.		
Astle Street	6 Ft. 12 In. Plain Concrete Pipe.		
Andover Street	300 Ft. 12 In. Plain Concrete Pipe.		
East Street	320 Ft. 12 In. Reinforced Concrete Pipe.		
East Street	81 Ft. 15 In. Reinforced Concrete Pipe.		
East Street	30 Ft. 12 In. Reinforced Concrete Pipe.		

LEDGE REMOVAL

The dangerous ledge on Trull Street has been removed. With this removed it will give us the opportunity to widen this narrow street. Plans are underway for this work.

CHAPTER 498

The balance of the Flood Relief money granted us by the State in 1938 was used in the early spring to complete the work in filling in the many washouts and other road damages.

Two years ago a new working schedule was required by the State for all work done on Chapter 81 and Chapter 90 Maintenance streets. A schedule, which is set up by our department with the assistance of our state engineer, has to be made estimating the amount of money to be used for the various kinds of material, labor, etc., on each street. Sometimes it is impossible for us to make an accurate estimate on each street and we find that at times we do not have sufficient money set up to carry out the work as per our schedule. Therefore, we are asking that the balance of $1058. of our Hurricane Relief Fund be used for the completion of any such work as started on our Chapter 81 Streets.

HIGHWAY MACHINERY FUND

The Highway Machinery Fund which went into effect about three years ago has proven a most successful and satisfactory method. It has enabled us to take care of all expenses for supplies, equipment, etc., that are necessary to this department immediately.

NORTH STREET, CHAPTER 90

Our 1938 Chapter 90 Construction, North Street, was carried over into 1939 due to the delay in receiving our State allotments. This contract called for approximately 3600 feet bituminous gravel road, 24 feet wide with proper drainage. It is to be regretted that further construction on this street could not be continued this year. A new bill was passed, in the spring, by the legislature, discontinuing all Chapter 90 Construction allotment to the towns. This money was transferred instead to the various towns to be used by the assessors to reduce the tax rate.

PLEASANT STREET, CHAPTER 90

In 1938 the town appropriated $500. to be used with money allotted by the State and County for the continuation of the previous construction on Pleasant Street. The State allotted $1000. and the County allotted $500. which made a total of $2000. This contract called for a grade surface with bituminous gravel for a distance of approximately 950 feet. With construction underway we decided that this being one of the main streets in the center of the town a Type I bituminous concrete top would make a finer appearing road. Our engineers highly approved of this suggestion. Therefore an additional sum of $1500. was

necessary. We were awarded a second allotment from the State and County to be used with our own money for this purpose. As this second allotment was received late in the year of 1938, we had to carry this work over into 1939. This new type of construction extends from the State Highway to the junction of Summer Street. This is the first time that the highway department has used this type of construction and we feel that it will prove most satisfactory.

MAINTENANCE, CHAPTER 90

The usual maintenance of Chapter 90 was carried out under the provisions of this allotment. All of our Chapter 90 highways are in good condition. The shoulders on all macadam roads were maintained in good order during the year. A section of East Street was widened and resurfaced. Practically all Chapter 90 Maintenance streets were bituminous treated.

For a financial report of the department we refer you to the auditor's report of highway expenditures.

In closing this report, our appreciation and thanks are extended to our Board of Selectmen, State and County officials, and engineers for their cooperation and assistance.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS P. SAWYER
JOHN T. GALE
CHESTER M. ROPER

Road Commissioners
of Tewksbury.

DANIEL STERLING,
Superintendent of Streets.

REPORT OF HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Chairman Greene, and Members of the Tewksbury Board of Health.

Gentlemen:

As your agent, I make the following report for the year ending December 31, 1939.

For the first nine months of the year there were few contagious cases, but we had an increase in the cases of tuberculosis, which are our responsibility as to hospitalization. There have been severe cases brought to our attention and six have accepted sanitorium treatment. At the present time we have three cases in the Middlesex County Sanatorium.

During the last three months we have, with all surrounding towns and cities, been well peppered with measles. This disease is difficult to control, since its contagiousness is almost greater for the few days before the eruption than at any other stage. At that time its symptoms are so like a bronchial cold that parents do not recognize the case and their mixing with other chidren spreads the disease. Our only satisfaction is in the fact that there have been no fatal cases and that for at least five years we will have few new cases.

During the coming year it seems that the town will have to provide some areas to be designated as a "Town Dump," where rubbish can be deposited. As it now appears these areas must be in each section of the town, and easily protected in case of fire occurring in them. Again they cannot be placed where they might be an objection to nearby residents. The board would welcome any suggestions from the tax payers upon this problem.

Contagious Cases	No. Cases	Deaths
Scarlet Fever	3	0
Measles	75	0
Dog bite	7	0
Cat bite	1	0
Tuberculosis	7	1
Chicken Pox	10	0
Pneumonia	5	1
Diphtheria	0	0
	108	2

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT M. LARRABEE, M. D.

Agent.

HIGHWAYS

General

Appropriation	$ 16,000.00	
Less amount credited to Chapter 81	9,150.00	
		$ 6,850.00

Expenditures

Daniel Sterling, Supt.	$ 270.00
Thomas Manley, Chauffeur	196.25
James Bancroft, Chauffeur	187.50
Homer Darby, Chauffeur	183.50
Charles Bowden, Chauffeur	197.25
Roland Robinson, Laborer	200.50
Jeremiah Houlihan, Laborer	209.75
Richard O'Neill, Chauffeur	222.13
Frank Goodwin, Chauffeur	48.00
Alton Parker, Laborer	165.83
Joseph Aubut, Laborer	158.47
Edward Penney, Laborer	142.37
William Penney, Laborer	118.68
George Gale, Laborer	142.14
Francis Brown, Laborer	181.47
Winthrop Jones, Laborer	166.98
Joseph Cisluysis, Laborer	185.84
Nelson Brown, Laborer	140.30
John Dupee, Laborer	46.69
Arthur Sparkes, Laborer	44.16
Ernest Treadwell, Laborer	60.27
James Ogston, Laborer	41.63
Vernon Darby, Laborer	3.22
George Manley, Laborer	14.00
Charles Haas, Laborer	9.00
James Manley, Laborer	7.82
Mildred Sawyer, Clerical work	72.80
Frank Goodwin, compensation	107.00
Fred Garlick, removing snow	24.00
Jeremiah Houlihan, compensation	221.00
Dana F. Perkins, setting bound posts and surveying	325.00

Town of Dracut, use of air compressor	48.00	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	185.81	
Anthony Cidado, installing light, etc.	2.50	
State Infirmary, treatment to Roland Robinson..	1.00	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., diary	2.75	
Explosive Supply Co., dynamite and caps	41.75	
Russell Lumber Co., lumber	21.92	
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	31.00	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., road oil	1,229.47	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., transport-porting roller and spreader	101.26	
John Belton, sand	$ 58.60	
St. John's Hospital, operation and care of Jeremiah Houlihan	73.00	
St. John's Hospital, care of Frank Goodwin	83.00	
Daniel T. Sullivan, calcium chlorid	31.00	
Dr. S. A. Dibbins, operation on Frank Goodwin..	50.00	
Balfe Service Co., printing	9.50	
Dr. S. G. Hajjar, professional services for Jeremiah Houlihan	10.00	
Lull & Hartford, caps	4.50	
Dr. Ralph Heifetz, professional services for Jeremiah Houlihan	126.00	
Osterman Coal Co., cement	6.30	
Thomas P. Sawyer, paid for stamps	4.68	
Coleman Bros. Corp., removing stones from roadside	250.00	
Jacob Halpersohn, gravel	203.10	
Rogers & Sherburne, professional services	5.00	
New England Concrete Pipe Corp., pipe	149.94	
Wilder Grain Co., cement	16.08	
State Prison Colony, Town Line sign	1.65	
Middlesex Supply Co., supplies	8.49	$ 6,849.85
Unexpended		$ .15

Chapter 81

Allotment from General Highways	$ 9,150.00	
Allotment by State	9,150.00	
	$ 18,300.00	
Less amount credited to Highway Mach. Fund..	2,411.00	$ 15,889.00

Expenditures

Daniel Sterling, Supt.	$ 772.19	
Thomas Manley, Chauffeur	586.50	
James Bancroft, Chauffeur	379.75	
Homer Darby, Chauffeur	517.50	
Charles Bowden, Chauffeur	584.25	
Roland Robinson, Laborer	553.25	
Jeremiah Houlihan, Laborer	325.25	
Richard O'Neill, Chauffeur	491.50	
Alton Parker, Laborer	518.19	
Edward Penney, Laborer	519.11	
William Penney, Laborer	523.02	
George Gale, Laborer	518.42	
Francis Brown, Laborer	518.19	
Winthrop Jones, Laborer	491.05	
Joseph Cisluysis, Laborer	469.43	
Nelson Brown, Laborer	526.01	
Joseph Aubut, Laborer	534.98	
John Dupee, Laborer	44.16	
Arthur Sparkes, Laborer	44.16	
James Ogston, Laborer	27.14	
Ernest Treadwell, Laborer	44.16	
Bruno Cisluysis, Laborer	4.37	
Frank Goodwin, Chauffeur	466.25	
Frank Kane, Mason	25.50	
Manuel Martin, Laborer	8.00	
Berger Metal Culvert Co., pipe and couplings	214.96	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., road tar	4,983.92	
Jacob Halpersohn, gravel	237.90	
John Belton, sand	73.05	
The Barrett Co., tarvia	774.84	
John Brady, gravel	17.30	
State Prison Colony, line posts and signs	94.70	
		$ 15,889.00

Highway Machinery Fund

Appropriation	$ 1,069.84	
Credited from Chapter 81 Pay Rolls	2,411.00	
Credited from Chapter 90 Pay Rolls	838.50	
Credited from North St. Pay Rolls	430.00	
Credited from Chapter 498 Pay Rolls	13.00	
		$ 4,762.34

Expenditures

John G. Maclellan, range oil	$ 19.49	
James D. A. McCready, lettering trucks	10.00	

Clark-Wilcox Co., sand spreaders and supplies....	278.11	
Cities Service Oil Co., gasoline	1,352.22	
Dyar Sales & Machinery Co., blades	42.00	
North Tewksbury Garage, labor and parts	691.28	
Osterman Coal Co., coke	78.50	
Towers Motor Parts Corp., parts	66.14	
John C. Bennett, hardware	108.70	
Donohoe Tire Co., parts	27.34	
Springfield Commercial Body Co. Inc., parts.....	19.55	
Colonial Beacon Oil Co., oil, tires and tubes.....	502.52	
Lowell Iron & Steel Co., parts	4.90	
G. R. Myers Co., repairing and sharpening tools	31.65	
Middlesex Supply Co., parts	4.07	
Lowell Co-Operative Bank, storage of trucks.....	167.83	
Harry C. Dawson, insurance on trucks & tractor	53.68	
Bulley's Filling Station, gasoline and labor.....	15.67	
Rusty's Cities Service Station, gasoline.....	2.25	
Arthur Tremblay, supplies	3.87	
Freddie's General Store, gasoline	2.25	
Roger Buck Garage, labor	5.00	
The Buffalo-Springfield Roller Co., bolts	14.00	
Bartlett & Dow Co., supplies	12.81	
Allied Steel Co., chains and hooks	51.08	
Billerica Motor Sales Co., parts	17.15	
J. P. Falardeau, parts & sharpening tools	41.25	
Lull & Hartford, dynamite caps	9.00	
Hinton's Service Station, gasoline	3.35	
Currier's Express, express	1.00	
Fred W. Yelland, lights and reflectors	8.70	
Lowell Glass Co., glass	13.00	
Broadway Auto Body Repair Shop, repairs.....	4.50	
Registry of Motor Vehicles, registration of trucks and tractors	12.00	
Treat Hardware Corp., wire rope	6.60	
Thomas P. Sawyer, chains, stone jigger and derrick	52.00	
Scannel Boiler Works, plates	1.65	
		$ 3,735.11
Unexpended		$ 1,027.23

Chapter 90—Maintenance

Appropriation	$ 2,500.00
Allotment by State	2,500.00

Allotment by County	2,500.00	
	$ 7,500.00	
Less amount credited to Highway Machinery Fund	838.50	
		$ 6,661.50

Expenditures

Daniel Sterling, Supt.	$ 199.68	
Thomas Manley, Chauffeur	178.75	
Frank Goodwin, Chauffeur	174.50	
James Bancroft, Chauffeur	170.25	
Homer Darby, Laborer	145.00	
Charles Bowden, Chauffeur	174.50	
Richard O'Neill, Chauffeur	128.25	
Jeremiah Houlihan, Laborer	149.75	
Roland Robinson, Laborer	169.75	
Alton Parker, Laborer	156.63	
Joseph Aubut, Laborer	160.08	
Edward Penney, Laborer	129.95	
William Penney, Laborer	156.63	
George Gale, Laborer	155.94	
Francis Brown, Laborer	152.26	
Joseph Cisluysis, Laborer	120.29	
Nelson Brown, Laborer	150.88	
Winthrop Jones, Laborer	155.71	
Frank Kane, Mason	28.75	
The Barrett Co., tarvia	542.30	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., road oil	1,661.20	
John Brady, gravel	647.93	
Wilder Grain Co., cement	26.80	
State Prison Colony, guard rails	62.50	
General Crushed Stone Co., crushed stone	470.40	
Hume Pipe of New England, Inc., drain pipe	272.83	
Daniel T. Sullivan, brick	54.00	
New England Concrete Pipe Corp., pipe	65.74	
		$ 6,661.25
Unexpended		.25

TRULL STREET

Brought forward from 1938		$ 500.00

Expenditures

Coleman Bros., removing stones as per contract	$ 500.00	

Balance brought forward from 1938	$ 1,251.28	
Less amount credited to Highway Mach. Fund..	13.00	$ 1,238.28

Expenditures

Daniel Sterling, Supt.	$ 90.00	
James Bancroft, Chauffeur	48.00	
Thomas Manley, Chauffeur	72.00	
Frank Goodwin, Chauffeur	72.00	
Homer Darby, Laborer	72.00	
Charles Bowden, Chauffeur	72.00	
Richard O'Neill, Chauffeur	72.00	
Roland Robinson, Laborer	72.00	
Jeremiah Houlihan, Laborer	72.00	
Alton Parker, Laborer	66.24	
Joseph Aubut, Laborer	66.24	
Edward Penney, Laborer	66.24	
William Penney, Laborer	66.24	
George Gale, Laborer	66.24	
Francis Brown, Laborer	66.24	
Winthrop Jones, Laborer	66.24	
Joseph Cisluysis, Laborer	66.24	
Nelson Brown, Laborer	66.24	$ 1,238.16
Unexpended		$ .12

PLEASANT STREET

Chapter 90

Brought forward from 1938	$ 1,923.76

Expenditures

Daniel Sterling, Supt.	$ 56.57
Thomas Manley, Chauffeur	12.75
Frank Goodwin, Chauffeur	12.75
James Bancroft, Chauffeur	21.25
Charles Bowden, Chauffeur	21.25
Richard O'Neill, Chauffeur	49.50
Homer Darby, Laborer	66.25
Roland Robinson, Laborer	21.25

Jeremiah Houlihan, Laborer	33.50	
Alton Parker, Laborer	21.25	
Joseph Aubut, Laborer	12.75	
Edward Penney, Laborer	41.50	
William Penney, Laborer	21.25	
George Gale, Laborer	12.75	
Francis Brown, Laborer	21.25	
Winthrop Jones, Laborer	12.75	
Joseph Cisluysis, Laborer	49.50	
Nelson Brown, Laborer	12.75	
Frank Kane, Mason	6.00	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., road oil	1,039.91	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., use of spreader and roller	185.24	
H. E. Fletcher Co., crushed stone	191.79	$ 1,923.76

NORTH STREET

Chapter 90

Brought forward from 1938	$ 4,734.57	
Less amount credited to Highway Machinery Fund	430.00	
		$ 4,304.57

Expenditures

Daniel Sterling, Supt.,	$ 171.56
Thomas Manley, Chauffeur	128.25
Frank Goodwin, Chauffeur	108.50
James Bancroft, Chauffeur	41.75
Homer Darby, Laborer	153.10
Charles Bowden, Chauffeur	127.25
Roland Robinson, Laborer	128.50
Jeremiah Houlihan, Laborer	123.75
Richard O'Neill, Chauffeur	88.00
Alton Parker, Laborer	127.20
Joseph Aubut, Laborer	125.75
Edward Penney, Laborer	123.20
William Penney, Laborer	140.45
George Gale, Laborer	113.75
Francis Brown, Laborer	124.75
Winthrop Jones, Laborer	110.00
Joseph Cisluysis, Laborer	141.35
Nelson Brown, Laborer	123.75

John Dupee, Laborer	39.25	
Arthur Sparkes, Laborer	35.50	
James Ogston, Laborer	39.25	
Ernest Treadwell, Laborer	39.25	
Frank Kane, Mason	112.50	
Fred Garlick, trucking	20.25	
James Sheehan, trucking	20.25	
Town of Dracut Water Dept., use of air compressor	100.50	
New England Concrete Pipe Corp., pipe	42.45	
New England Metal Culvert Co., pipe	55.86	
John Brady, trucking and use of steam shovel	965.17	
Hume Pipe of New England, Inc., drain pipe	219.24	
State Prison Colony, flanges and grates	63.18	
Wilder Grain Co., cement	14.00	
Daniel T. Sullivan, bricks	90.00	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., road tar	247.06	
		$ 4,304.57

SCHOOLS

Appropriation	$ 57,530.00	
Appropriation for extra school bus	1,500.00	
		$ 59,030.00

Expenditures

Teachers

Vittoria Rosatto	$ 466.64
Alice Sturtevant	304.00
Angelica Carabello	319.92
Whitman Pearson, principal	2,311.32
Donald McSheehy	1,207.78
Frank Maria	1,366.62
Lawrence McGowan	1,322.60
Roland Bourdon	1,140.00
Evelyn Dutton	1,253.28
Kathryn Chandler	1,266.28
Marjorie Scoboria	1,266.28
Catherine Maguire	1,241.28
Phyllis Moran	1,076.28
Elizabeth Trickey	155.00
Ethelyn Howard, principal	1,599.96
Dorothy Ward	902.42
Elizabeth Flynn	1,175.00

Marion Piper	1,140.00	
Doris Blake	1,092.46	
Virginia Cunningham	902.42	
Mildred Rollo	902.42	
Winifred Colbath	902.42	
Mary Katherina	807.46	
Elizabeth Hill	949.96	
Alberta Ringer	855.00	
Hazel Lambert	902.42	
Elizabeth Reynolds	902.42	
Eva Hersey	1,130.00	
Bernice Lyness	902.42	
Ruth Lyons	894.60	
Mary E. Carboine	427.50	
Margery S. Jones	12.00	
Mary E. Garland	96.00	
Mrs. Ann Washburn	28.00	
Margaret Mercier	233.32	
Ruth Rood	10.00	
Toffee Shaheen	25.00	
Ida Cross	12.00	
Elizabeth Mulry	20.00	
		$ 31,522.48

Fuel and Janitor

R. H. Stote, polish	$ 2.95
Harry Wiley, Janitor	1,300.00
Walter Lavell, Janitor	1,370.00
Robert Staveley, Janitor	1,040.00
Irving Bailey, Janitor	672.00
Irving Bailey, paid for supplies	4.14
William M. Horner, supplies	117.20
Lowell Gas Light Co., gas	95.75
T. B. Perrine, supplies	5.31
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity & bulbs	960.47
Mrs. Bridget Tansey, services	4.65
F. J. Flemings Est., towels	52.50
State Prison Colony, supplies	31.75
Osterman Coal Co., coal	258.13
Osterman Coal Co., labor on motor	32.25
First National Stores, Inc., supplies	2.74
Freddie's General Store, oil	1.50
Workshop for the Blind, mops	2.72
Wilmington Coal Co., coal	1,427.27
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	13.90

Jesse J. French, wood	20.00	
John G. MacLellan, fuel oil	12.50	
Arthur Tremblay, supplies	8.65	
Tewksbury Ice & Oil Co., fuel oil	9.75	$ 7,446.13

Transportation

Omer Blanchard, driving bus	$ 1,905.60	
Anthony Furtado, Jr., driving bus	1,913.60	
Anthony Furtado Jr., driving bus	10.00	
Fred Garlick, driving bus	1,363.60	
Eastern Mass. Street Ry. Co., transportation of pupils	2,800.00	$ 7,992.80

Supervision

Stephen G. Bean	$ 877.56	

Books and Supplies

Arthur Fairgrieve, envelopes	$ 15.98	
The Boston Music Co., music	65.68	
H. J. Dowd Co. Inc., display paper	8.10	
F. J. Flemings Est., paper supplies	149.52	
Bartlett & Dow Co., hardware supplies	76.51	
Russell Lumber Co., lumber	180.61	
Johnson Publishing Co., books	4.43	
The Bon Marche, supplies	6.31	
Edward E. Babb & Co. Inc., books and supplies	624.42	
G. C. Prince & Son. Inc., supplies	53.33	
A. G. Pollard Co., supplies	5.04	
Gledhill Bros. Inc., supplies	582.12	
Henry S. Wolkins Co., supplies	23.13	
Thompson Hardware Co., hardware	29.47	
The Arthur P. Smith Co., music	1.94	
The Champion Publishing Co., notebooks	12.42	
Silver Burdett Co., music books	80.82	
Theodore Presser Co., books	2.83	
The Bruce Publishing Co., books	14.99	
Scott, Foresman & Co., books	102.86	
McGraw-Hill Book Co., books	1.08	
Carl Fischer Inc., music	6.66	
The Macmillan Co., books	93.08	

Middlesex Supply Co., supplies	6.49	
State Prison Colony, floor brushes	11.00	
J. L. Hammett Co., diplomas and supplies	203.18	
B. L. Makepeace Inc., supplies	2.07	
World Book Co., supplies	14.75	
Rand McNally & Co., maps	6.02	
C. C. Birchard & Co., music	1.00	
Wilmington Mirror, supplies	3.00	
D. C. Heath & Co., books	12.23	
American Book Co., books	115.17	
Ginn & Co., books	170.58	
Allyn & Bacon, books	37.75	
Milton Bradley Co., drawing kits	4.10	
Longman's Green & Co., books	38.44	
Educational Service Bureau, books	4.51	
D. Appleton-Century Co., books	4.64	
Benj. H. Sanborn & Co., books	2.81	
South-Western Publishing Co., books	32.69	
Universal Text Book Co., books	23.38	
Wright & Potter Printing Co., cards	20.25	
National Conservation Bureau, books	8.00	
Fred Howard, supplies	6.74	
Pratt & Forrest Co., lumber	28.34	
Oxford Book Co., book	.53	
McNabb Brothers, paper towels	7.50	
L. W. Singer Co., books	7.90	
Denoyer-Geppert Co., maps	29.85	
Frontier Press Co. of Boston, book	16.50	
Remington Rand, Inc., cards	3.75	
		$ 2,964.50

School Houses

Russell Lumber Co., lumber	$ 6.15	
David Hinckley, labor	32.00	
Thomas F. Sullivan, labor and supplies	84.75	
Derby Electric Motors Co., labor and parts	62.21	
Middlesex Supply Co., plumbing supplies	70.58	
The Robertson Co. Inc., supplies and labor	117.40	
Wilmington Builders' Supply Co., hardware, sheathing, etc.	42.68	
Osterman Coal Co., repairs and stoker parts	13.30	
Mack Courser, labor	169.90	
Lowell Gas Light Co., piping	11.65	
W. L. Farwell, labor	130.99	
J. Harper Gale, disinfectant powder	1.85	

The Thompson Hardware Co., supplies	132.53	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., paint and brushes	82.63	
Wadsworth, Howland Co., brushes	2.25	
Town of Littleton, desks and chairs	50.00	
Bennett Bros., servicing pump	7.72	
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	51.05	
Bartlett & Dow Co., supplies	122.66	
Louis Marion & Son, material and labor	218.23	
Robert W. Wolfe, painting	340.00	
Acme Painting Co., painting	77.50	
Converse Parker, labor	9.00	
Alfred A. Lawler, labor	9.00	
Anthony Cidado, labor	5.50	
Elmer Olson, labor and parts	25.45	
Frank P. McCartin Co., electrical supplies	$ 4.33	
Gledhill Bros. Inc., supplies	115.64	
Coggan & Sherman, paint supplies	16.05	
W. J. Bolton, labor	25.00	
Grossman Lumber Co., lumber	4.13	
O. H. Toothaker, brackets	1.12	
Lowell Iron & Steel Co., iron	.88	
Lull & Hartford, keys	.65	
Warren W. Lavell, glass and putty	3.29	
Lyon Metal Products, Inc., lockers	564.37	$ 2,612.44

Massachusetts School Fund

Massachusetts Board of Retirement	$ 1,425.00

Miscellaneous

Rexair Sales & Service, Rexair cleaner and brush	$ 84.75	
Edith McSheehy, care of cafeteria	80.00	
Arthur Tremblay, supplies	5.48	
Whitman Pearson, telephone calls, postage and express	14.00	
Stephen G. Bean, travel expense	108.80	
Stephen G. Bean, clerical service, postage and telephone	24.53	
First National Stores, Inc., groceries	66.27	
Rogers & Sherburne, legal services	27.00	
New England Laundries Inc., laundry	7.36	
Purity Spring Water Co., spring water	27.90	
A. G. Pollard Co., supplies	63.47	

Yale University Press Film Serv., rental of films	30.00
T. B. Perrine, supplies	26.42
Anderson Brothers, milk	2.09
W. J. Hoare, fish	3.16
J. D. Wallace & Co., hardware	16.30
Underwood Elliott Fisher Co., exchanging typewriters	60.00
Russell Lumber Co., lumber	23.45
Loella F. Dewing, advertising bids	9.90
Royal Typewriter Co., exchange of typewriters	30.00
L. C. Smith & Corona Typewriters, Inc., exof typewriters	60.00
Bennett Bros., labor	6.25
Division of University Extension, correcting papers	17.85
Harry C. Dawson, insurance on buildings	453.07
Gertrude Rutledge, care of cafeteria	306.00
May L. Larrabee, telephone calls	44.95
May L. Larrabee, supplies	.85
May L. Larrabee, certificates	4.75
Lincoln Stores Inc., supplies	3.44
The Bon Marche, supplies	15.30
The Robertson Co., utensils	23.39
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., labor and supplies	19.55
Boston & Maine R. R., drain pipe privileges	5.00
International Business Mach. Corp., maintenance of clock system	15.00
J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing	32.75
The Thompson Hardware Co., supplies	.97
Reformatory for Women, flags	17.18
Fred Howard, supplies	4.20
Maude B. Gray, magazine subscriptions	29.55
Fred Garlick, transporting pupils	5.00
Fred Garlick, trucking	46.45
Vittoria Rosatto, lettering diplomas	31.32
Kathryn Chandler, safe for High School	7.00
Harry Wiley, services as attendance officer	50.00
Dorothy Ackles, making out payrolls	24.00
Alyce O'Brien, services as clerk	22.75
Herman Brase, speaker at Foster School Graduation	10.00
Patten & Co., dressing and loam	14.00
Harlan P. Kelsey, Inc., evergreen trees for High School	18.00
Mrs. Harry Dawson, pianist for Graduation	3.00
John G. MacLellan, oil	3.25

Wright & Potter, printing	2.08	
Gene's Hi-Grade Ice Cream Co., supplies	14.05	
Bartlett & Dow Co., supplies	52.88	
Metropolitan Chemical Co., supplies	20.00	
J. H. Thorlby Co., typewriters cleaned and adjusted	15.00	
S. S. Kresge Co., supplies	4.31	
The Barrett Co., road oil	58.30	
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	7.05	
Harding Typewriter Co., repairs	70.60	
J. Harper Gale, paid express	1.53	
Edith Haines, taking school census	35.00	
H. P. Sweet, eggs	5.30	
George K. James, paid for supplies	2.65	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., oil	18.15	
Commissioner of Public Safety, inspection of boiler	5.00	
A. J. Fairgrieve, envelopes	15.98	
Austin French, writing certificates	1.75	
J. Harper Gale, writing certificates	7.50	
Charles Hazel, services as asst. coach	100.00	
Scripture's Laundry, laundry	1.65	
Iver Johnson Sporting Goods Co., football shoes	93.75	
Massachusetts Safety Councils, badges	4.50	
William H. Bennett, use of well at North School	10.00	
		$ 2,552.73

School Nurse

Miss Edith Haines, services	$ 1,299.96

Medical Inspection

Dr. H. M. Larrabee, school physician	$ 200.00
Appropriation for Schools	$ 59,030.00
Total expenditures	58,893.60
Unexpended (extra school bus)	$ 136.40

VOCATIONAL SCHOOL

Appropriation	$ 1,000.00

Expenditures

City of Lowell, tuition	$ 900.00	
Eastern Massachusetts St. Ry. Co., transportation of pupils	100.00	$ 1,000.00

PUBLIC WELFARE

Appropriation	$ 12,000.00	
By vote of Selectmen under Section 31, Chapter 44, General Laws	3,877.46	$ 15,877.46
Expended for Welfare		$ 15,877.46

Aid to Dependent Children

Appropriation		$ 3,500.00
By vote of Selectmen, under Section 31, Chapter 44, General Laws		205.50
Received Federal Aid, U. S. Grant		1,101.20
Received Federal Aid for Administration		154.70
		$ 4,961.30
Expended under Town Appropriation	$ 3.705.50	
Expended under U. S. Grant	1,090.00	
Expended under Administration	151.60	
		$ 4,947.10
Unexpended under U. S. Grant		$ 11.10
Unexpended under Administration		3.10

Aid, State and Military

Appropriation	$ 2,500.00
Expended for Aid	1,739.80
Unexpended	$ 760.20

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Appropriation	$ 11,000.00	
Received Federal Aid, U. S. Grant	9,073.90	
Received Federal Aid for Administration	302.71	
Brought forward from 1938	48.49	$ 20,425.10

Expended for Old Age Asst. under Town appro.	$ 10,995.70	
Expended for Old Age Asst, under U. S. Grant..	7,899.67	
Expended for Administration under U. S. Grant	351.20	$ 19.246.57
Unexpended under U. S. Grant		$ 1,178.53

STATIONERY AND PRINTING

Appropriation		$ 1,150.00

Expenditures

A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps and envelopes	$ 152.72	
Balfe Service Co., printing	50.50	
Balfe Service Co., printing town reports	691.20	
G. C. Prince & Son, supplies	30.13	
Lowell Sun, advertising	4.50	
Loella F. Dewing, advertising	30.30	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing	41.50	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., forms	6.24	
George A. Marshall, paid for supplies	1.50	
M. G. Wight & Co., supplies	8.17	
Smith Sales Co., supplies	1.25	
Robinson Seal Co., certificates	5.10	
A. A. Smith & Co., adding machine paper	1.50	
Dumas & Co., printed sheets	52.53	
		$ 1,077.14
Unexpended		$ 72.86

SALARIES

Appropriation, Town Auditor		$ 700.00
Robert E. Gay, services		683.30
Unexpended		$ 16.70
Appropriation, Town Treasurer		$ 1,300.00
George A. Marshall		1,253.84
Unexpended		$ 46.16
Appropriation, Selectmen		$ 800.00
Irving F. French, services	$ 300.00	
Everett H. King, services	250.00	
Bernard H. Greene, services	250.00	
		$ 800.00

Appropriation, Town Clerk		$ 750.00
H. Louis Farmer, Jr., services		730.30
Unexpended		$ 19.70
Appropriation, Tax Collector		$ 1,500.00
Harry C. Dawson, services		1,500.00
Appropriation, School Committee		$ 225.00
May L. Larrabee, services	$ 75.00	
Austin F. French, services	75.00	
J. Harper Gale, servies	75.00	
		$ 225.00
Appropriation, Road Commissioners		$ 400.00
Thomas P. Sawyer, Chairman, services	$ 200.00	
Chester M. Roper, services	100.00	
John T. Gale, services	100.00	
		$ 400.00
Appropriation, Election Officers		$ 50.00
Jesse French, services	$ 5.00	
Thomas Sullivan, services	5.00	
William Smith, services	5.00	
Jeremiah Houlihan, services	5.00	
Elmer Strickwald, services	5.00	
Wallace Farwell, services	5.00	
Annie McPhillips, services	5.00	
Edward Hoyt, services	5.00	$ 40.00
Unexpended		$ 10.00

INCIDENTALS

Appropriation	$ 1,000.00

Expenditures

Irving F. French, expenses to Selectmen's Asso.	$ 6.00
Irving F. French, expenses at hearings	6.00
Everett H. King, expenses to Selectmen's Asso.	6.00
Everett H. King, expenses at hearings	21.00
Barr Engraving Co., engraving	3.12
Auguste P. Sarre, picture frame	2.00
John E. Lawson, reporting death	.25
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	218.87
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	8.35
James W. McKenna Sons, ambulance service	20.00
Director of Accounts, certifying notes	12.00

Fred C. Church & Co., premium on Treas. Bonds	119.50	
George A. Marshall, expenses to Boston	13.00	
T. C. Lee & Co., Town Clerk's bond	5.00	
Appleton National Bank, rent of safe deposit box	5.50	
A. J. Fairgrieve, rent of P. O. box	1.40	
Middlesex Co. Selectmen's Asso., membership dues	6.00	
Charles D. Phillips, services as Fish and Game warden	100.00	
Mary L. Nolan, land damage	6.00	
Anthony Furtado Jr., transporting 4-H Club	8.00	
Walter Robinson, material and labor on scales	149.63	
Burroughs Adding Machine Co., service charge	5.00	
Young & Benner, selling land	50.00	
H. Louis Farmer Jr., acknowledging deeds	18.00	
Chester E. Burgess, transporting boys to Army Base	12.00	
Winthrop S. Jones, care of soldiers' lot	17.00	
William Pringle, labor in South Cemetery	30.00	
William Pringle, labor in Old Cemetery	5.00	
Tewksbury Cemetery Corp., care of town lot and tomb	10.00	
Robert E. Gay, acknowledging W. P. A. citizenship papers	10.00	
Rogers & Sherburne, legal services	31.00	
		$ 905.62
Unexpended		$ 94.38

BOARD OF HEALTH

Appropriation	$ 2,100.00

Expenditures

Commonwealth of Mass., State Infirmary, care of T. B. cases	$ 459.71
F. & E. Bailey & Co., supplies	20.62
Dr. John P. Mahoney, services at dental clinics	207.00
Middlesex Co. Sanatorium, care T. B. cases	844.50
Dooly Sign Co., iron signs	17.50
Balfe Service Co., printed notices	3.50
Mr. W. Weiss, payment of doctor's fee in dog bite case	2.00
Dr. H. M. Larrabee, professional services	537.49

E. R. Squibb & Sons, supplies	7.00	
		$ 2,099.32
Unexpended		$ .68

MEMORIAL DAY

Appropriation	$ 350.00

Expenditures

Royal K. Hayes, oration	$ 15.00	
Emmett O'Brien, accompanist	3.00	
Edward J. Downey, soloist	15.00	
Ladies Aid Society, dinners	146.00	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing	4.00	
Larkin's Band, music	92.00	
F. I. Carter & Sons, bouquets	7.50	
Patten & Co., wreaths and bouquet holders	12.00	
Winthrop Jones, flags	42.00	
G. W. Hunt, transportation	5.00	
		$ 341.50
Unexpended		$ 8.50

STREET LIGHTING

Appropriation	$ 5,740.00

Expenditures

Lowell Electric Light Corp., Street lights	$ 5,739.88
Unexpended	$ .12

LIBRARY

Appropriation	$ 1,250.00
Dog Tax	501.59
	$ 1,751.59

Expenditures

DeWolfe & Fiske Co., books	$ 844.73
Ruth W. Smith, expenses to Boston	27.00

Abbie M. Blaisdell, librarian	200.00	
Abbie M. Blaisdell, box rent and parcel post	2.10	
Blanche King, asst. librarian	125.00	
Delbert Nash, asst. librarian	93.75	
The Robertson Co., rubber flooring	194.40	
Maude B. Gray, magazine subscriptions	53.85	
Dorothy Fitzgerald, expenses to Boston	9.00	
Jean Karr & Co., books	78.25	
R. W. Wagner Co., book	11.25	
Gaylord Bros. Inc., supplies	12.05	
Mrs. H. P. Dinsmore, book ordered for library	1.00	
Edgar Smith, transporting books	87.50	
Harold Patten, clock	6.95	
		$ 1,746.83
Unexpended		$ 4.76

TOWN HALL

Appropriation	$ 4,000.00

Expenditures

Lowell Gas Light Co., gas	$ 67.89	
George K. James, Janitor	1,272.00	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity and bulbs	579.75	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	159.71	
Bennett Bros., servicing pump and supplies	33.40	
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	78.71	
Goodco Sanitary Products, supplies	30.00	
G. C. Prince & Son Inc., supplies	1.10	
Joseph Lorrain, material and labor	34.69	
Middlesex Supply Co., supplies	35.29	
T. B. Perrine, supplies	1.30	
Wadsworth Howland & Co., paint and brushes	21.42	
J. I. Holcomb Mfg Co., brush	1.26	
A. F. French & Co., white paper	36.79	
Bay State Paint & Varnish Products, supplies	24.82	
Pratt & Forrest Co., lumber	26.24	
Coggan & Sherman, paint, etc.	24.79	
Frederick Urquhart, painter	12.00	
Roy Anderson, disinfectant	3.00	
E. A. Wilson Co., coal	446.14	
James Touhy, painting	65.00	

The Robertson Co., chairs	300.00	
S. S. Kresge Co., dish towels	3.60	
First National Stores Inc., supplies	.84	
George J. McCoy, repairing clock	100.00	
American Fire Equipment Co., parts	1.50	
Arthur Tremblay, supplies	16.99	
Bartlett & Dow Co., lawn mower	9.95	
T. F. Sullivan, material and labor	167.85	
North Tewksbury Garage, repairing pump	7.63	
Commissioner of Public Safety, inspection of boilers	10.00	
Forrest Foster, wood	6.00	
Jones, McDuffee & Stratton, dishes	31.71	
A. G. Pollard Co., supplies	4.37	
Shattuck's Express, express	.65	
The C. B. Dolge Co., disinfectant	2.69	
R. Dexter Tolman, ballot box	70.00	$ 3,689.08
Unexpended		$ 310.92

GENERAL

Merchant's National Bank, paid notes Nos. 213, 214, 217, 219	$ 70,000.00	
Middlesex Co. Treasurer, T. B. assessment	1,199.93	
Dog licenses	636.80	
County tax	6,016.42	
National Shawmut Bank, paid notes Nos. 218, 221, 222	52,000.00	
Commonwealth of Mass., State tax	12,600.00	
Auditing Municipal Accts.	802.66	
State Parks and Reservations	282.39	$143.538.20

MOTH DEPARTMENT

Appropriation	$ 1,000.00

Expenditures

Harris M. Briggs, labor	$ 876.00
Harris M. Briggs, paid for tar	1.50
Edward M. Haskell, coal	13.35
Elmer Olson, labor	16.00

Lowell Electric Light Corp, electricity	3.20	
Frost Insecticide Co., supplies	41.95	
Leonard Gath, labor	4.00	
Converse Parker, labor	2.00	
Converse Parker, transporting tools	4.00	
Harris M. Briggs, Jr., labor	10.00	
Wilbur Calkins, labor	4.00	
George K. James, paid express	.50	
Fitzhenry-Guptell Co., sprayer parts	1.80	
Bulley's Filling Station, gasoline	3.19	
Middlesex Machine Co., sprayer parts	1.85	
Louis Cody, services	5.20	
North Tewksbury Garage, supplies	3.05	
Arthur Tremblay, supplies	2.43	
Peter Gelzinias, labor	4.00	
		$ 998.02
Unexpended		$ 1.98

TREE WARDEN

Appropriation	$ 1,200.00

Expenditures

Bulley's Filling Station, gasoline	$ 6.96
Samuel Feinstein, transporting tools	52.00
Harris M. Briggs, labor	585.60
Elmer Olson, labor	12.00
State Infirmary, treatment of Fred Record and Arthur Sparkes	3.50
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	9.20
Napoleon Boucher, filing saws	1.50
L. F. Gath, labor	1.00
H. M. Briggs, Jr., labor	119.50
Robert Briggs, labor	8.80
Converse Parker, labor	25.33
J. H. Broadbent & Son, notices	1.50
Bartlett & Dow Co., tools	32.56
E. L. Talbot, sharpening saws	2.80
Louis Brazee, labor	4.00
Wilbur Calkins, labor	10.75
Edward Cogan, use of horse	42.00
Forrest Foster, labor	40.00

Harold Mills, labor	196.00	
Freddie's General Store, gasoline	7.43	
Moses Webster, labor	21.75	
Wm. H. Dewing, filing saws	2.70	
George Hill, labor	5.25	
The Fairgrieve Belting Co., Inc., statement	2.05	
Roland Holden, labor	4.00	
Carter-Reid Co., tree paint	1.75	
		$ 1,199.93
Unexpended		$ .07

INTEREST

Appropriation	$ 600.00

Expenditures

Merchants National Bank, discount on notes Nos. 219, 220	$ 117.02	
National Shawmut Bank, discount on notes Nos. 221, 222, 223 and 224	105.55	
Blanche B. Ames, interest on taxes refunded	18.66	
		$ 241.23
Unexpended		$ 358.77

POLICE

Appropriation	$ 6,000.00
By vote of Selectmen, Section 31, Chapter 44, General Laws	137.66
	$ 6,137.66

Expenditures

Cyril L. Barker, Chief	$ 2,120.00
Cyril L. Barker, travel expenses	2.90
Chester E. Burgess, services	1,578.00
Graybar Electric Co. Inc., parts for radio	102.18
Auction Mart, desk	16.00
Donaldson's, supplies	1.00
Billerica Motor Sales Co., supplies, parts and labor	52.45

Billerica Motor Sales Co., exchange of Ford car	263.50	
Standard Oil Co., gasoline	17.78	
City of Lowell, use of jail	43.25	
Gorham Fire Equipment Co., supplies	3.50	
Frank P. McCartin Co., parts for radio	20.65	
New England Tel. & Tel.Co., telephones	166.44	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	3.20	
Ross E. Sargent, services	204.90	
Lauchie McPhail, services	329.15	
A. A. Smith & Co., repairs on typewriter	8.25	
Daniel Sterling, services	509.10	
James H. Burns, transporting prisoners	8.60	
Isadore J. Trudel, transporting prisoner	2.00	
Golen's Garage, labor and parts	58.48	
Cities Service Oil Co., gasoline	343.44	
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps	9.00	
George Hazel, services	88.20	
Albert H. Evans, installing radio	42.20	
S. M. Spencer Mfg. Co., badges	10.50	
Myers Auto Supply Co., supplies and labor	39.76	
Commonwealth Traffic Co., painting lines	45.00	
Iver Johnson Sporting Goods Co., cartridges	7.19	
Commissioner of Public Safety, license to carry arms	.45	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing	13.50	
Pioneer Gen. Electric Motor Corp., parts	21.69	
Arthur Boisvert, services	2.70	
Daniel Sheehan, services	2.70	
		$ 6,137.66

PARKS AND COMMONS

Appropriation	$ 400.00

Expenditures

Converse Parker, labor	$ 37.40	
Wilbur Calkins, labor	10.25	
Harris Briggs, Jr., labor	6.00	
Corey's Steeplejacks, removing and erecting top mast on flag pole	155.00	
Thomas C. McCausland, setting flag pole, etc.	20.00	
George Mercier, labor	22.50	
David Stevenson, labor	22.50	

Joseph Maher, labor	9.00	
Robert Maher, labor	4.50	
Frank Borgardo, labor	9.00	
Russell Lumber Co., lumber	5.25	
Osterman Coal Co., cement	10.50	
Joseph Bennett, labor	2.00	
Louis Brazee, labor	2.00	
Middlesex Supply Co., supplies	10.75	
Bartlett & Dow Co., supplies	1.62	
Harris M. Briggs, care of common	46.73	
Harris M. Briggs, care of flag	25.00	
		$ 400.00

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation	$ 5,000.00
By vote of Selectmen, under Section 31, Chapter 44, General Laws	241.55
	$ 5,241.55

Expenditures

A. S. Haines, Chief	$ 1,855.00
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	169.06
Lowell Gas Light Co., gas	10.18
Donovan's Harness Co., materials and repairs	11.07
E. A. Wilson Co., oil	158.40
Lowell Iron & Steel Co., parts	39.29
Charles W. Knox & Son, renewal of accident policy	187.50
North Tewksbury Garage, labor and parts	194.00
North Tewksbury Garage, storage	91.00
Freddie's General Store, gasoline	1.45
Goodrich Silvertown Stores, tires and tubes	50.91
Scannell Boiler Works, iron	60.00
American Fire Equipment Co., equipment	502.75
Middlesex Supply Co., parts	47.11
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	18.30
Thompson Hardware Co., supplies	14.63
Leo Bonugli, rent of fire garage	37.50
Pratt & Forrest Co., lumber	7.79
Ideal Key Shop, keys	1.25
Bartlett & Dow Co., supplies	10.48
Boston Auto Supply Co., parts	5.84

James D. A. McCready, lettering and striping truck	6.75
Towers Motor Parts Corp., parts	12.32
Harry Patterson, spotlight	5.00
John W. Kirwin, fire pumps	4.00
E. G. Hinton, supplies	36.56
E. G. Hinton, rent of garage	45.00
First National Stores, Inc., supplies	.89
Arthur Tremblay, supplies	125.37
Ralph's Used Auto Parts Co., spring	1.00
Town of Wilmington, rental of hydrants	120.00
Thomas F. Sullivan, labor and parts	38.25
Wilbur K. Foss, striping fire truck	1.50
Sunbury & Howland, cleaner	2.00
J. R. Rainey, kerosene	.50

Labor at Fires

George James	$ 120.90
Harry Gleason	75.25
Harry Patterson	70.50
Wm. R. Millett	70.25
Irving Bailey	33.50
Wallace Farwell	29.75
Frank Corr	30.25
John Carter	25.75
Fred Carter	20.75
Charles Bowden	57.50
Thomas Sullivan	105.00
William Shanley	76.75
Harold Mills	71.75
James Bancroft	21.25
Albert Bancroft	35.75
Anthony Cidado	73.25
Edward Hoyt	7.25
Leonard Gath	4.00
Everett Haines	114.50
Omer Blanchard	9.00
Andrew Kohanski	98.50
Walter Roberts	14.25
Kempton James	3.00
Victor Lundquist	49.50
Walter Kohanski	15.75
Howard King	18.50
Alexander Suprenant	32.25
John Smith	8.50

Fred King	8.50	
Edgar Hinton	39.00	
Wm. McNabb	2.50	
Stanley Alex Jr.	1.75	
Edgar Hinton Jr.	14.50	
William Shanghsay	1.00	
John Merrill	4.25	
Patsy Dipalma	2.00	
Hugh Cameron	2.25	
		$ 5,241.55

ASSESSORS

Appropriation	$ 2,300.00

Expenditures

Buzzell King, services	$ 780.50	
Percy L. Haines, services	516.25	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone	32.80	
George R. Barnstead & Son, tax cards	1.00	
Hobbs & Warren Inc., printing	48.71	
Wilbur K. Foss, services	639.15	
Wilbur K. Foss, use of auto	31.50	
Robert King, transporting assessors	75.00	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	14.40	
Roberta M. Foss, asst. clerk	70.00	
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps	2.50	
Brooks, Jordan & Graves, subdivision plan of Ames Estate	56.00	
Thomas E. Watson, redrawing plans of Oakland and Shawsheen River Parks	15.65	
Davis Printing Co., deed cards	10.75	
		$ 2,294.21
Unexpended		$ 5.79

INSPECTION OF MEAT AND ANIMALS

Appropriation	$ 600.00

Expenditures

A. H. Jewell, inspection of meat and animals	$ 600.00

COLLECTION OF TAXES

Appropriation		$ 1,200.00

Expenditures

New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone	$ 51.94	
Charles O. MacKinnon, forms, stamps and labor	50.00	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., supplies	8.02	
Underwood Elliott Fisher Co., ribbon and servicing charge	18.75	
A. J. Fairgrieve, rent of P. O. box	1.80	
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps and envelopes	254.34	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing	109.00	
Philip B. Carter, premium on tax collector's bond	224.00	
Robinson Seal Co. Inc., forms	51.58	
Mass. Bonding & Insurance Co., Premium on deputy collector's bond	10.00	
H. Louis Farmer, Jr., acknowledging deeds	45.50	
The Lowell Sun, advertising	141.25	
Harry C. Dawson, paid for recording deeds	183.20	
Harry C. Dawson, paid express	.35	
G. C. Prince & Son, supplies	7.25	
Mass. Tax Collectors' & Treasurers' Asso., dues for H. C. Dawson	2.00	
		$ 1,158.98
Unexpended		$ 41.02

DOG OFFICER ACCOUNT

Appropriation		$ 100.00

Expenditures

New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone	$ 25.44	
Lowell Humane Society, destroying dogs	5.00	
James W. Bancroft, services	68.50	
		$ 98.94
Unexpended		$ 1.06

MAINTENANCE OF LEGION HALL

Appropriation		$ 125.00

Expenditures

Middlesex Supply Co., supplies	$ 8.45	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	74.52	
A. G. Pollard Co., supplies	21.00	
Lincoln Stores Inc., dishes	16.53	
The Moxie Co., tables	4.50	
		$ 125.00

TAX TITLE FORECLOSURE

Appropriation	$ 350.00

Expenditures

Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, recording deeds	$ 161.50	
Land Court, Boston, advertising deeds	20.00	
Alice A. Pike, looking up tax titles	5.00	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., notices	.58	
James A. Delay, legal services	15.00	
		$ 202.08
Unexpended		$ 147.92

MUNICIPAL INSURANCE FUND

Appropriation	$ 1,500.00

Expenditures

Mechanics Savings Bank	$ 1,500.00

BOARD OF REGISTRARS

Appropriation	$ 1,300.00

Expenditures

Chester Burgess, services	$ 53.97
Lauchie McPhail, services	36.60
H. Louis Farmer, Jr., services	251.40
Wm. H. Bennett, services	75.25
Herbert A. Fairbrother, services	62.25

George J. McCoy, services	68.75	
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps	2.00	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	5.05	
Spaulding-Moss Co., printing poll list	51.04	
		$ 606.31
Unexpended		$ 693.69

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Appropriation ..... $ 225.00

Expenditures

D. J. Cameron, services	$ 200.00	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., supplies	5.03	
		$ 205.03
Unexpended		$ 19.97

W. P. A. FUND

Appropriation ..... $ 10,000.00

Expenditures

Davis & Sargent Lumber Co., lumber	$ 40.21
Bulley's Filling Station, gasoline and oil	327.54
Everett H. King, Sponsor's Agent	982.17
Everett H. King, expenses to Boston	24.00
G. R. Myers Co., repairs	.75
Wilmington Coal Co., coal	345.80
William Chandler, Janitor	12.00
Fred H. Garlick, trucking	854.52
Margaret Livingston, paid for supplies	.40
John T. McCabe & Co., sharpening picks, etc.	1.40
Golen's Garage, repairs and parts	386.27
Dorothy E. Ackles, clerk	330.00
Forrest Foster, wood	6.00
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	58.16
Lowell Auto Parts, parts	3.90
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	23.37
United States Treasurer, material and administrational expenses	1,145.81

Middlesex Supply Co., supplies	218.73
John R. Craig, trucking	60.00
Robert E. Gay, taking acknowledgments for W. P. A. workers	7.50
The Phaneuf Press, cards and guides	4.25
T. B. Perrine, supplies	4.74
Farm Service Co., arsenate of lead	283.92
Surplus Commodity District, warehouse service charge	40.00
J. L. Flemings Est., bags	35.12
Koplow Trimming Co. Inc., supplies	145.79
Bartlett & Dow Co., supplies	358.13
Osterman Coal Co., cement, lime and coal	223.50
Sears, Roebuck & Co., boat head	6.95
Towers Motor Parts Corp., parts	5.69
Mason Alexander, rings for truck	12.60
Caldwell Electric Co., repairs and parts	5.00
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	2.25
Lowell Fertilizer Co., fertilizer	70.21
New England Concrete Pipe Corp., sewer pipe..	1,534.68
E. G. Hinton, trucking	360.50
E. G. Hinton, supplies	89.25
A. A. Smith & Co., rental of typewriter and ribbons	10.50
Kenneth Willett, labor	7.00
John Brady, clay and brick	232.80
Wm. H. Dewing, filing saws	3.00
W. Calkins, trucking	4.00
Thomas F. Sullivan, labor	2.00
Chain-link Fence Co., parts for fence	17.41
Robinson Foundry Co., castings & catch basins	375.00
North Woburn Machine Co., welding etc.	8.64
Town Line Garage, labor and truck parts	14.35
Joseph Martos, electrical work and trucking	20.50
Louis M. Marion, use of cement mixer, labor and material	39.55
Freddie's General Store, gasoline and oil	13.27
Conant Machine & Steel Co., rental of loading machine	775.00
J. H. Seamans, bricks	4.50
D. M. Laffin, sharpening drills	6.40
Acme Welding Works, repairs	1.00
Charles Bowden, driving truck	28.50
James Manley, driving truck	32.00
Frank Goodwin, driving truck	22.50
George Brabant, oil and trucking	25.00

George Brabant, use of torches	6.00	
Donohoe Tire Co., tires and tubes	29.80	
North Tewksbury Garage, labor and parts	6.05	
Charles Santas, cold storage service	8.40	
Explosive Supply Co., dynamite caps	12.00	
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps	1.00	
Coleman Bros. Corp., rental of compressor	109.30	
Henry Morgan, transporting tools	52.00	
Frost Insecticide Co., creosote	14.58	
Arthur Tremblay, supplies	4.94	
Globe Rubber Works, Inc., suction hose	15.00	
Anthony Cidado, labor	4.00	
Frank D. McCartin Co., supplies	1.50	
Liggett Drug Co., supplies	2.89	
Harry Wright, gasoline	5.33	
Edward H. Bowley, trucking	37.50	
Ernest Treadwell, repairs	15.25	
The Robertson Co., Inc., supplies	3.63	
Daniel T. Sullivan, pipe	16.80	
		$ 10,000.00

REAL ESTATE REFUND

Harry C. Dawson, refund	$ 50.00	
Walter J. McLaren, refund	1.07	
William and Mary C. Sigman, refund	11.72	
Demetrias C. Iphigenia, refund	29.30	
Longmeadow Golf Club, refund	64.46	
Blanche B. Ames, refund	248.60	
		$ 405.15

MOTOR EXCISE REFUND

Charles Donahue	$ 2.57
Thomas E. Watson	.94
Erlin Ramsbotham	11.20
Herbert F. Boles	.47
Grand Union Tea Co.	6.47
John G. McLellan	6.82
John H. Nash	2.67
Sally O'Neill	3.74
Charles S. Brewer	5.99
Edward A. Keouger	45.23
John H. Kelley	4.46
Kathryn Chandler	2.16

Leo M. Benougli	4.49	
John E. Barry	9.62	
Gerald W. Gross	7.66	
Alexander J. Obert	2.39	
Mildred I. Ransden	2.87	
Lawrence R. McGowan	3.12	
Herman Bischoff	2.40	
Alfonso Damore	3.86	
Alice White	2.87	
Nicholas T. Jordan	3.23	
William J. Kelley	4.10	
Lenore McNamara	3.59	
Alice W. Bell	7.18	
Albert L. Gillespie	4.18	
John J. Graney	2.16	
Alpha Norris	1.80	
		$ 158.24

PURCHASE OF FIRE HOSE

Appropriation	$ 1,000.00

Expenditures

Loella F. Dewing, advertising	$ 9.80	
North Tewksbury Garage, labor and parts	14.91	
American Fire Equipment Co., hose, nozzles and other equipment	889.35	
John W. Kirwin, chromium plate	24.45	
		$ 938.53
Unexpended		$ 61.47

HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING LOAN

Appropriation	$ 6,196.25

Expenditures

Merchants' National Bank, paid notes Nos. 137, 138, 139, 140 and 189	$ 5,000.00	
Interest school loan notes	1,196.25	
		$ 6,196.25

FOSTER SCHOOL FUND

Central Savings Bank, interest from Foster School Fund....		$ 12.70

Expenditures

North Wilmington Nurseries, shrubs	$ 5.70	
Patten & Co., loam, dressing	7.00	
		$ 12.70

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

Receipts

City Institution for Savings, interest from		
Martha Shedd Fund	$ 6.00	
Peter Clark Fund	5.00	
Central Savings Bank, interest from		
Thomas Bridge Fund	2.75	
Ebenezer Page Fund	5.00	
Wm. Prindle Fund	2.00	
Samuel Jaques Fund	2.75	
Jeremiah Kittredge Fund	2.75	
		$ 26.25

Expenditures

William Pringle, care of the Martha Shedd lot....	$ 6.00	
William Pringle, care of the Peter Clark lot.....	5.00	
William Pringle, care of the Wm. Prindle lot.....	2.00	
William Pringle, care of the Ebenezer Page lot..	5.00	
Tewksbury Cemetery Corp.:		
Care of the Thomas Bridge lot.....	2.75	
Care of the Samuel Jaques lot	2.75	
Care of the Jeremiah Kittredge lot.....	2.75	
		$ 26.25

SUMMARY

Highways—General	$ 6,849.85
Highways—Chapter 81	15,889.00
Highway Machinery Fund	3,735.11
Highways—Chapter 90, Maintenance	6,661.25
Highways—Trull Street	500.00

Highways—Chapter 498, Acts 1938	1,238.16
Highways—Pleasant Street, Chapter 90	1,923.76
Highways—North Street, Chapter 90	4,304.57
Schools	58,893.60
Vocational Schools	1,000.00
Public Welfare	15,877.46
Aid to Dependent Children	4,947.10
Aid, State and Military	1,739.80
Old Age Assistance	19,246.57
Stationery and Printing	1,077.14
Salaries:	
Town Auditor	683.30
Town Treasurer	1,253.84
Selectmen	800.00
Town Clerk	730.30
Tax Collector	1,500.00
School Committee	225.00
Road Commissioners	400.00
Election Officers	40.00
Incidentals	905.62
Board of Health	2,099.32
Memorial Day	341.50
Street Lighting	5,739.88
Library	1,746.83
Town Hall	3,689.08
General	143,538.20
Moth Department	998.02
Tree Warden	1,199.93
Interest	241.23
Police	6,137.66
Parks and Commons	400.00
Fire Department	5,241.55
Assessors	2,294.21
Inspection of Meat and Animals	600.00
Collection of Taxes	1,158.98
Dog Officer Account	98.94
Maintenance of Legion Hall	125.00
Tax Title Foreclosure	202.08
Municipal Insurance Fund	1,500.00
Board of Registrars	606.31
Sealer of Weights and Measures	205.03
W. P. A. Fund	10,000.00
Real Estate Refund	405.15
Motor Excise Refund	158.24
Purchase of Fire Hose	938.53
High School Building Loan	6,196.25

Foster School Fund	12.70
Cemetery Trust Funds	26.25
Total expenditures	$346,322.30
Cash in bank	36,577.39
	$382,899.69
Treasurer's receipts	$382,899.69

TRUST FUNDS

Condition of funds, December 31, 1939:

Municipal Building Insurance Fund	$ 14,841.35
Foster School Fund	1,118.34
Jeremiah Kittredge Cemetery Fund	122.60
Samuel Jaques Cemetery Fund	122.59
William Prindle Cemetery Fund	100.69
Ebenezer Page Cemetery Fund	398.15
Louisa Bridges Cemetery Fund	169.18
Martha Shedd Cemetery Fund	644.45
Peter Clark Cemetery Fund	101.40

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of all Town Officials who were authorized to receive and expend money for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1939, and to the best of my knowledge they are correct, with proper vouchers on file, and $36,577.39 in the Treasury.

ROBERT E. GAY,
Town Auditor.

Personally appeared before me on this 23rd Day of January, 1940, Robert E. Gay, Town Auditor, and made oath that the foregoing statements are correct.

THOMAS F. FLYNN,
Justice of the Peace.

WARRANT FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Middlesex, ss:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town Affairs, to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury on Wednesday, February 7, 1940 at twelve o'clock noon, to act on the following articles:

ART. 1. To choose all necessary Town Officers, to choose by ballot a Moderator, Town Clerk, Three Selectmen, three members of the Board of Public Welfare, three members of the Board of Health, a Town Treasurer, an Auditor, a Collector of Taxes, a Tree Warden and three Constables, all to serve one year; one Highway Commissioner to serve three years; one member of the School Committee to serve three years, two Trustees of the Public Library to serve three years; one Park Commissioner to serve three years; one Assessor to serve three years; one Commissioner of Trust Fund to serve three years.

The polls for the election of Town Officers to be opened at twelve noon and to be closed at 8 P. M.

And you are also hereby further required and directed to notify and warn the said inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, who are qualified to vote on elections and Town affairs, therein to assemble subsequently and meet in Town Meeting at the Town Hall in said Town of Tewksbury on Wednesday, February 14, 1940, at seven-thirty o'clock P. M., then and there to act on the following articles:

ART. 2. To hear reports of Town Officers and Committees and act thereon.

ART. 3. To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise by taxation to defray necessary expenses for the current year, and make appropriations for the same.

ART. 4. To see if the Town will vote the money arising from licensing dogs, for the ensuing year to aid in support of the Public Library.

ART. 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1940 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

VOTED: That the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1940 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ART. 6. To see what regulations the Town will make for the possession, management and sale of land sold for unpaid taxes and for the assignment of Tax Titles not inconsistent with law or with the right of redemption as provided by Sect. 52 of Chap. 60 of the General Laws as amended by Sec. 3 of Chapter 126 of the Acts of 1927, and to see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for the enforcement of such rules and regulations.

ART. 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $350.00 for the proper observance of Memorial Day, and appoint a committee to expend the money. Said committee to be taken from members of Spanish War Veterans, American Legion, or Sons of Veterans.

ART. 8. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to institute suits on behalf of the Town or defend any suits that are, or may be brought against the Town, and to sign any contracts or agreements in behalf of the Town.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum sufficient to pay the County of Middlesex, as required by law, the Town's share of the net cost of the care, maintenance, and repair of the Middlesex County Tuberculosis Hospital, as assessed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 111 of the General Laws and Acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto including Chapter 400, Section 25 G (6) (a) of the Acts of 1936 or take any action in relation thereto.

ART. 10. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell, after first giving notice of the time and place of sale by posting such notice of sale in some convenient and public place in the town fourteen days at least before the sale, property taken by the town under tax title procedure provided that the selectmen or whomsoever they may authorize to hold such public auction may reject any bid which they deem inadequate, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 11. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen and Treasurer to petition the land court for a foreclosure of tax titles held by the Town for more than two years, as provided in Section 65 of Chapter 60, and to see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate therefor.

ART. 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,500.00 for the Maintenance of Chapter 90, highways: said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 13. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to establish a Road Machinery Fund for the purpose of purchasing, repairing, and operating road machinery, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 14. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Road Machinery Account, to which shall be accredited all receipts received for the use of rental of road machinery, the proceeds to be appropriated as voted by the Town for road machinery purposes, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 15. To see if the Town will vote to accept Myrtle Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 16. To see if the Town will vote to accept White Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 17. To see if the Town will vote to accept Laite Road, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 18. To see if the Town will vote to accept an extension on Sunnyslope Avenue, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 19. To see if the Town will vote to accept an extension on Highlandview Avenue, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 20. To see if the Town will vote to accept an extension on School Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 21. To see if the Town will vote to accept Robinson Avenue, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 22. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of $1,058.00, balance of the Hurricane Relief Fund, which was alloted to the Highway Department in 1938, to be used by the Highway Department for additional labor and materials on Chapter 81 streets.

ART. 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $200.00 for the Highway Department, to provide Street Signs on various streets in South Tewksbury, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 24. To see if the Town will vote to locate a light on Water Street, opposite Adelaide Road, and appropriate money for same, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 25. To see if the Town will vote to provide adequate street lighting along the new overpass at Wamesit, make appropriation for same; or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 26. To see if the Town will vote to install electric lights on Foster Street to the residence of Arthur Boisvert, and make appropriation for the same, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 27. To see if the Town will vote to install a street light on South Street, near the residence of Louis O'Connell, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 28. To see if the Town will vote to install one light on Clark Road, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 29. To see if the Town will vote to provide adequate street lighting on Main Street, between Chandler Street and St. William's Church, and install one or more 1000 candle power lights in the immediate vicinity of the church, make appropriation for same; or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 30. To see if the Town will vote to install one light at the corner of Woburn and Park Streets, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 31. To see if the Town will vote to install one light on East Street, between the residence of Roland Robinson and corner of East and Chandler Streets, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 32. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repairing and drainage of Summer Street, install one light on same, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 33. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate $1,080.00 for maintaining the services of a police officer at each of the elementary schools, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 34. To see if the Town will vote to have the Highway Department collect rubbish, garbage, or other refuse in various districts of the town on one day each week, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 35. To see if the voters will instruct the Board of Health to designate and provide one or more public dumps, if possible, on land now owned by the town, and prohibit dumping of rubbish along public roads; or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 36. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate $1,293.69 to pay bills of the State Department of Public Welfare, and cities and towns for welfare support of persons with Tewksbury settlements residing elsewhere.

ART. 37. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to be used in conjunction with Federal Funds for Works Projects Administration expenses for the year 1940, or take any action relative to the same.

ART. 38. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $100.00 for the purpose of paying the 1938 salary as Road Commissioner of John T. Gale.

ART. 39. To see if the Town will vote to reimburse the treasurer for money spent in the Welfare Department under Chapter 44, Section 31, the sum of $3,877.46.

ART. 40. To see if the Town will vote to reimburse the treasurer for money spent in the Aid To Dependent Children Account, under Chapter 44, Section 31, the sum of $205.50.

ART. 41. To see if the Town will vote to reimburse the treasurer for money spent in the Police Department, under Chapter 44, Section 31, the sum of $137.66.

ART. 42. To see if the Town will vote to reimburse the treasurer for money spent in the Fire Department under Chapter 44, Section 31, the sum of $241.55.

ART. 43. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for a reserve fund, under Section 6 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws, Tercentenary Ed., or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 44. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purpose of paying the Town's share of the material cost on Sponsor's Project No. 41; being a project to establish sidewalks, on East, Chandler and Pleasant Streets, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 45. To see if the Town will vote that all Motor Vehicles, owned by the Town of Tewksbury, shall be lettered with the name of Department to which the vehicle belongs, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 46. To see if the Town will vote to choose by ballot at the Annual Town Meeting in February, 1940 three Selectmen, three members of the Board of Public Welfare, and three members of the Board of Health, one to serve three years, one to serve two years, and one to serve one year, and each succeeding year to choose by ballot one Selectman, one member of the Board of Public Welfare, and one member of the Board of Health, to serve for the period of three years or to take any action relative to same.

ART. 47. To see if the Town will vote that the Highway Department, cut all brush on the highways of Tewksbury, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 48. To see if the Town will vote to abolish the Chief of Police, and the Board of Selectmen to appoint a Captain temporarily, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 49. To see if the Town will vote that all Boards shall notify, in writing, of all meetings and no sealed bids shall be opened until all members are present, or take any other action on same.

ART. 50. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen, to meet with the Lowell Electric Light Corp; Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Co., for lower rates, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 51. To see if the Town will vote that any Citizen of Tewksbury, receiving $25.00 or more per week, cannot collect for services in any other department, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 52. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $800.00 for the purchasing of Stop Signs, No Parking Signs and other signs and the erecting of same as recommended by the Department of Public Works in a survey recently made by the Town Safety Committee and Engineers of the Department of Public Works, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 53. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,550.00 to purchase a General Motors Truck of one and one-half ton, 131⅛ inch wheel base, chassis and cab over, Model A. F. 312, a 350-gallon booster tank, and material for equipping same, or take any other action relative thereto. (Pump, Hose and other equipment to be taken off Number Four (4) Truck.

ART. 54. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of six hundred and one dollars ($601.00) to pay counsel fees and other expenses incurred in defending the case before the appellate Board of tax appeals of Blanche B. Ames against the Board of Assessors.

ART. 55. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00, being the sum appropriated by the Town under Article 15 at the Annual Town Meeting held February 2, 1938 and omitted by the assessors in their levy of that year.

ART. 56. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $50.00 in support of the Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture, through the Middlesex County Extension Service, and elect a director. Said money to be spent under the direction of the local director, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 57. To see if the Town will permit in accordance with Section 34 of Chapter 114 of the General Laws the use of the following described parcel of land in Tewksbury for the extension of the cemetery owned by the Tewksbury Cemetery Corporation.—

Said parcel is bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the parcel on the northerly side of East Street; thence northerly along the stone wall and land of the Tewksbury Cemetery Corporation about five hundred twenty (520) feet to land formerly

of the Lowell and Lawrence Railroad; thence easterly three hundred thirty-four (334) feet to an iron pipe; thence southerly about four hundred and twenty (420) feet to an iron pipe; thence westerly ninety (90) feet, more or less, to the northeast corner of land of A. W. Pendleton; thence still westerly along the northerly side of said Pendleton land one hundred (100) feet; thence still westerly thirty (30) feet to an iron pipe; thence southerly one hundred (100) feet to East Street; thence westerly about one hundred fourteen (114) feet to the point of beginning. Being a part of the premises conveyed to Walter J. Robinson by deed of Albert S. Briggs dated July 9, 1912 and recorded in Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 490, Page 270.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices and leave one hundred copies for the use of the citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, eight days at least and over two Sundays, before the time of said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid:

Given under our hands, this seventeenth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty.

IRVING F. FRENCH,
EVERETT H. KING,
BERNARD H. GREENE,
} **Selectmen of Tewksbury.**

A true copy attest:

CYRIL L. BARKER,

Constable of Tewksbury.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF THE

TOWN *of* TEWKSBURY

Also Report of
Superintendent of Schools

For the Year Ending Dec. 30,

1939

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Name			Address
Mrs. May L. Larrabee	1937-1940	Chairman	Tewksbury
J. Harper Gale	1938-1941		Tewksbury
Austin F. French	1939-1942	Secretary	Tewksbury

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Stephen G. Bean — Wilmington

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Herbert M. Larrabee — Tewksbury

SCHOOL NURSE

Miss Edith E. Haines — Tewksbury

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

Harry Wiley — Tewksbury

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

In accordance with a vote taken at the last town meeting a third school bus was put into operation as soon as possible. While this will materially increase our budget for 1940, all sections of the town are receiving better service than ever before.

At the opening of schools in September it was found that the Shawsheen School could not accommodate all the pupils from the south section. A room was therefore opened at the Spaulding school for the center first grade pupils and the eighth grade from the Shawsheen was transported to the Foster School.

If the enrollment continues to increase in the south section we feel that it would be economy for the town to build an addition to the Shawsheen school.

The High School was painted and in all of the schools some of the class rooms were painted.

Lockers for the High School are ordered and will be installed soon, so that every student will have one. As thefts of clothing have been reported in the past, parents are urged to see that their children are provided with locks and keys and that these lockers are kept locked.

The School committee recommend the sum of $59,769.00 be appropriated for the schools for 1940 based upon the following budget:

Elementary Schools

Superintendent	$	877.00
Supervisors		1,020.00
Teachers		16,950.00
Janitors		3,292.00
Transportation		6,000.00
Fuel		1,200.00
Books & Supplies		1,400.00
Health		1,500.00
Insurance		660.00
District		150.00
Miscellaneous		600.00
Repairs		1,000.00
	$	34,649.00

High School

Teachers	$ 15,000.00	
Janitor	1,300.00	
Transportation	2,900.00	
Fuel	700.00	
Supervisors	720.00	
Books & Supplies	1,500.00	
Miscellaneous	2,000.00	
Equipment & Repairs	1,000.00	
		$ 25,120.00
		$ 59,769.00

Respectfully submitted,

MAY J. LARRABEE, Chairman
J. HARPER GALE
AUSTIN F. FRENCH, Secretary

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Madam and Gentlemen:

Subscribed please find my tenth annual report as Superintendent of Schools for Tewksbury.

By request my personal contribution to this report is reduced to a minimum. The reports of my associates, principals and supervisors of various departments including the School Physician and School Nurse are offered as presented to me.

The general condition of the school system, judged by results secured by teachers, is excellent. We have maintained our already well established high level of attainment and have exhibited improvement in some elements.

In the elementary schools in particular I feel that the town is getting a larger return on a small investment in salaries than is true of many towns. I recommend heartily that the town support your committee in an endeavor to raise the salary level of teachers in the lower pay schedules. Nine of the sixteen elementary grade teachers are being paid less than a thousand dollars a year. All of these have been teaching for four or more years and some for nearly ten years. Most of these are receiving $950 a year. This means that for each week of actual teaching, allowing 38 weeks to the year, each teacher is paid $25.00 a week. The fact is however that they have to live during the enforced vacation periods so that the earning capacity, on an annual basis of 52 weeks is but $18.27 a week. A good office worker or clerk can command, even in these days, better compensation.

There has been practically no change in the entire teaching corp during the fiscal year. One teacher, Miss Carboine, who was employed for one year as an assistant to Miss Reynolds in the Shawsheen primary grades, left at the close of the school year in June. She later secured a position in Medford. No teacher was elected to this position. At the very end of the year Mr. Frank Maria of the high school staff accepted a position in the Lowell school system. Mr. Maria was an excellent teacher and a very successful coach of basketball. It seems a pity that our salary schedule makes it impossible to hold valuable teachers.

The most serious problem of the year resulted from an unexpected increase in enrollment in the Shawsheen school. We were fortunate to have available the primary room in the Spaulding school. The problem was solved by moving the first grade of more than forty pupils from the Foster to the Spaulding school. This left available room for the eighth grade from the Shawsheen school, which in turn allowed a redistribution of pupils in the Shawsheen building creating a new class to be taught by Miss Katherina who last year served as an assistant in the Foster school.

The health program in the schools continues to improve. By virtue of the excellent teamwork between Dr. Larrabee and Miss Haynes, the children, especially the under privileged, are getting preventive and remedial treatment which will prove of boundless value to them in the immediate and remote future. Advantage is being taken of the various clinics for prevention and cure of the more serious diseases.

To be sure we have had one of those periodic epidemics of the so called childhood diseases. Mumps, whooping cough and measles will get a start occasionally. They are all caught somewhere where people are crowded together and frequently are not recognized in time to prevent spreading. In too many cases the disease is not reported in time to segregate those not immune. Many parents assume the attitude that these diseases are inevitable and do not take measures to protect from them. This may be good reasoning but it does not seem necessary to risk some of the things which result from some of these childhood diseases by carelessly allowing children to contact other children while capable of spreading disease. I am told by the nurse that some children receive no medical attention during the run of the disease and would not be segregated at all but for our watchfulness in school.

It is a source of great regret that we were unable to retain the services of Miss Vittoria Rosatto as Art Supervisor. She is an unusually gifted and capable leader in this field and was doing an excellent service for the school children. Her successor is Miss Margaret Mercier, a young lady of excellent scholarship and preparation in this field. We expect this new teacher will maintain the high standards already achieved.

The work in the field of Music in the high school has continued under the capable direction of Miss Angelica Carabello. The concert presented early in the year gave evidence that our confidence in Miss Carabello was not misplaced. The quality of work done by the choruses in that concert and at the Belmont Festival was extremely encouraging.

Music in the elementary grades has continued under the direction of Mrs. Alice Sturtevant. Under her guidance the schools are gradually approaching a normal grading so that each class is doing the type of work best fitted for its needs. This is also helped by the fact that we now have four multiple grade rooms.

Progress is being maintained in the high school according to the same standards in force since its inception. The report of the headmaster is recommended to your careful consideration. I feel that Mr. Pearson is untiring in his efforts to make this school the great community asset for which it was created. There are some fine young people on the faculty and a good student body, all taking pride in Tewksbury High School.

The town owes your Committee a debt of gratitude for the most superior manner in which you have maintained the building and its surroundings.

The usual statistical tables will be found appended to this report. From these can be seen the present somewhat crowded condition of the school plant as a whole and should lead to some consideration of the need of planning for expansion in the near future.

Thanks are offered to all my associates for such loyal support as they have rendered. To the members of the Committee I offer my appreciation of all the support that they have given my efforts.

Respectfully submitted,

STEPHEN G. BEAN,
Superintendent of Schools.

Wilmington, Mass.
January 10, 1940.

REPORT OF THE HEADMASTER

Tewksbury High School — January 1940

To the School Committe of the Town of Tewksbury:

Tewksbury High School began its fifth year in September 1939, and during the first term had a record enrollment of 246 students. This represents an increase of 6 over the registration during the first term of 1938, and an increase of 11 over the registration for the same period in 1937. When the school started in 1935, the registration totalled 203, so that there has been an increase of 43 students—over 25%—during the five-year period. At this rate the school will have over 250 students during the fall term of 1940.

The number of students who have registered so far this year is divided by classes as follows:

Freshmen	86
Juniors	61
Sophomores	55
Seniors	38
Post Graduates	6
Total	246

The division of students according to the courses for which they registered was as follows:

Commercial	71	College	50
General	49	Manual Training	26
Nurse's Training	24	Teacher's College	10
Home Economics	10	Post Graduate	6

During the summer of 1939 it was necessary to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Vittoria Rosatto, Art Supervisor, and the position was taken by Miss Margaret Mercier, a graduate of Ohio State University. Miss Rosatto is now Art Supervisor in Burlington. Miss Elizabeth Trickey, who served as a cadet teacher during the year, also left Tewksbury to accept a position in the Burlington schools. There was no other change in the high school teaching force during the summer of 1939, and the school started in September with the members of the faculty teaching the following subjects and extra-curricular activities:

HEADMASTER WHITMAN PEARSON—Business Law, World History, Problems of Democracy, Social Conduct.

FRANK MARIA—English, Social Conduct, Basketball.

CATHERINE MAGUIRE—Latin, French, English, "Hi-Lights."

MARJORIE SCOBORIA—Junior Business Training, Algebra, Geometry, General Mathematics, College Mathematics, Basketball.

KATHRYN CHANDLER—Office Training, Typewriting, Accounting, Basketball.

PHYLLIS MORAN—English, Typewriting, Stenography, General Mathematics, Field Hockey, Public Speaking.

DONALD McSHEEHY—United States History, Biology, General Science, Chemistry, Algebra, Health, Hockey.

ROLAND BOURDON—Manual Training, Mechanical Drawing, Shop Mathematics, Ancient History, Dramatics.

EVELYN DUTTON—Home Economics, Interior Decorating, Boys' Cooking.

LAWRENCE McGOWAN—General Science, United States History, Physical Education, Commercial Mathematics, Citizenship, Health, Football, Baseball.

Mr. Frank Maria resigned from the high school faculty early in January to accept a position at the Lowell Vocational School. His successor has not yet been named but the position is being held temporarily by Miss Elizabeth Mulry of Lowell.

In June 1939 the high school held its Fourth annual commencement exercises and forty-seven young graduates, attired in the traditional caps and gowns, were awarded their diplomas. A complete list of the 1939 graduates follows:

Barbara Alexander
Dorothy Bolton
Grace Campbell
Constance Currier
Rose DiPalma
Carolina Fantini
Helen Gelinas
Elizabeth Gillissen
Helen Haas
Margaret Kelly
Athena Liakos
Tessie Liegakos
Louise Marion
Marjorie Martel
Arlene Olson
Mary Petraitis
Virginia Scammell
Helen Simonitz
Rita Sullivan
Antonia Zygelis
Louis Amiot
Gerald Barker
William Bennett
Harry Blair
George Bowden
Ernest Broadbent
Albert Fisher
Kenneth Fitzgerald
Thornton Gay
Roland Gray
Walter Jamieson
Mike Katherina
Gerald Keough
Allan MacLellan
Elias McCormack
Delbert Nash
William Noll
James O'Rourke
Warren Osterman
Albert Pestana
Proctor Ransden
Frank Stanton
George Tareila
William Thompson
Lewis Tremblay
Llewellyn Webster
Louis Haas

Special Honors

Valedictory, Rita Sullivan — Salutatory, Helen Gelinas

The May L. Larrabee Scholarship Awards
RITA SULLIVAN, WILLIAM NOLL

The Balfour Award
HELEN GELINAS

The Melvin Rogers Baseball Award
ALLAN MacLELLAN

The Melvin Rogers Football Award
KENNETH FITZGERALD

The Sons of the American Revolution History Medal
THORTON GAY

The Faculty Leadership Award
MARGARET KELLY

The Parent-Teachers' Association Medal
RITA SULLIVAN

Class President, William Thompson — Class Marshall, Allan MacLellan

JUNIOR USHERS

Theresa Mackey, Violet Bekshaw, John Cooney, Joseph Hughes

Mr. Henry Harris, retired Headmaster of the Lowell High School, was the guest speaker, and the diplomas were presented by Mrs. May L. Larrabee, Chairman of the School Committee.

As a constant incentive toward good scholarship, the school requires that a student earn 80 credit points before he is eligible for a diploma, and 70% is maintained as a passing mark in all subjects. No student is allowed to participate in school athletics unless he or she is passing three major subjects.

Every six weeks, in addition to the regular Honor Roll, a special High Honors list is made up including those students whose marks have averaged over 90%. Worthy of special mention are the following students who were consistent members of the High Honors group:

George Liegakos — Eleanor Fitzgerald — William Noll
Rita Sullivan — Martin Haas

In June of 1939 Tewksbury High School was awarded for the fourth time the Class A certificate issued by the State Department of Education.

The sports high-light of the school year 1938-39 was the winning for the second time of the Suburban Championship by the boy's basketball team.

A Public Speaking contest was conducted last April under the direction of Miss Moran and was so successful that it is planned to continue this event as an annual feature. The winners of the first contest were Etta Huddell and Allan Osterman.

In May the three Tewksbury High School Glee Clubs, under the direction of Miss Angelica Carabello, presented the first concert in the school's history, and the same month made a creditable showing at the state-wide Music Festival in Belmont.

A special Monday schedule was inaugurated with the beginning of the new school year which allows every student to avail himself of the following special subjects:

Art	Public Speaking
Social Conduct	Music
Health	Dramatics

Boys' Cooking Class

Tennis is becoming a popular activity at the school, and many students have learned this sport, which has more carry-over value than any other athletic activity sponsored by the school. The third annual tournament was contested during the fall, with the boy's championship going to Fred Dorsch and the girl's championship to Violet Bekshaw.

Athletics form an important part of the school's activity program, and since the management of athletic events involves the handling of a large amount of money, there is presented below the financial statement of the High School Athletic Association.

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September 1938 to June 1939

Receipts:

Football	$	911.28
Basketball		454.37
Baseball		
Donations		25.00
Miscellaneous		21.08
	$	1,411.73

Expenses:

Football	$ 489.17	
Basketball	497.86	
Baseball	116.30	
Miscellaneous	280.78	
Total		$ 1,384.11
On Hand June 1939		$ 27.62

Football made a profit during the 1938 season, due largely to the great revenue from the Dedication and Thanksgiving Day games. During the 1939 football season gate receipts fell off considerably and this was undoubtedly due to the fact that the team was not winning all of its games. If there had not been a large profit on the Thanksgiving game the season would have been a financial failure.

The statement for the 1939 football season follows:

Receipts	$ 599.40
Expenses	$ 513.96
Profit	$ 85.44

I wish to thank the members of the School Committee, Superintendent Bean, the members of the faculty, and the entire student body for the fine cooperation they have given me in directing the destiny of the school during the past five years. Such success as the school has had is the result of concerted effort toward the same goal.

Respectfully submitted,

WHITMAN PEARSON

Headmaster.

TABLE I

Age and Grade Distribution

October 1, 1939

	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	T
I	33	46	3															82
II		23	28	9	2		1											63
III			19	41	11	2	1											74
IV			2	23	31	14	4	1	1	1								77
V					15	31	11	8	2	2	1							70
VI						18	37	11	4	5	1	1						77
VII					1	3	8	25	14	11								62
VIII								15	39	17	2	1						74
T	33	69	52	73	60	68	62	60	60	36	4	2						579
IX									18	42	17	6						83
X										14	22	12	5	4				57
XI											18	25	13	1				57
XII											2	12	19	4				37
PG													3	1	1			5
T																		239
GT	33	69	52	73	60	68	62	60	78	92	63	57	40	10	1			817

TABLE II

Teacher-Grade Distribution

October 1, 1939

GRADE	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI	XII	P. G.	T
ROLLO	43													43
CUNNINGHAM		37												37
COLBATH			40											40
BLAKE				48										48
PIPER					39									39
FLYNN						45								45
WARD							32							32
RINGER								30						30
HOWARD								38						38
TOTAL														352
REYNOLDS	32													32
KATHERINA		25	11											36
LYONS			18	22										40
LAMBERT					26									26
HILL						23	22							45
TOTAL														179
LYNESS	7	1	5	7										20
HERSEY					5	9	9	6						29
TOTAL														49
PEARSON									83	57	57	37	5	239
G. TOTAL	82	63	74	77	70	77	62	74	83	57	57	37	5	817

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC

Mr. Stephen G. Bean,
Superintendent of Schools,
Tewksbury, Massachusetts.

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to submit my second annual report as Supervisor of Music.

It is gratifying to review in retrospect the music of the past year. This year there are many more participants and a greater interest in the Music Department of the High School.

The first annual concert of the Tewksbury High School was held in the high school gymnasium in April. The program was as follows:

PROGRAM

1 MAH LINDY LOU ..... *Strickland*
AS TORRENTS IN SUMMER ..... *Elgar*
THE SWAN ..... *Saint Saens*
Pianist—Lily Strem
Violin Obligato—Margaret Carabello
Freshmen—Sophomore Girls' Glee Club

2. HINDOO CHANT ..... *Rimsky Korsakoff, Kreisler*
SLAVONIC FANTASIE ..... *Dvorak, Kreisler*
RITUAL FIRE DANCE ..... *DeFalla, Kochanski*
Violinist—Margaret Carabello
Pianist—Madeline Meredith

3. VIKING SONG ..... *Coleridge Taylor*
WATER BOY ..... *Work Song*
GIVE A MAN A HORSE HE CAN RIDE ..... *O'Hara*
Boys' Glee Club

4. AS TORRENTS IN SUMMER ..... *Elgar*
WAKE THEE, NOW, DEAREST ..... *Czecho-Slovak Folk Song*
THE SNOW ..... *Elgar*
Violin accompaniment—Margaret Carabello
Pianist—Madeline Meredith

5. FOLK SONGS OF SPAIN ..... *Nin*
MURICE
CATALONIA
MORRO CASTLE

Violinist—Margaret Carabello
Pianist—Madeline Meredith

6. JACOB'S LADDER ..... *Negro Spiritual*
SYMPATHY ..... *Friml*

Mixed Chorus

In May the Freshmen-Sophomore Girls' Glee Club and the Junior Senior Girls' Glee Club participated in the Massachusetts Music Festival which was held at Belmont, Massachusetts. The results from this festival were satisfactory and a great benefit to the high school girls.

The Massachusetts Festival Association purposes to advance the interest of the band, choral and orchestral music in Massachusetts, by encouraging and inducing a high standard of excellence in performance through the maintenance of band, choral and orchestra festivals, and also through the promotion of any other activities in its province that may tend to raise the standard of musicians, and impel more genuine appreciativeness and support on the part of the public for music and musical education, especially in the public schools.

The second annual High School concert will be held in the Spring. The musical organizations will again enter into the Massachusetts festival with other high schools.

I wish to thank you Mr. Bean, the principals, teachers and pupils for the genuine interest and co-operation that has been given me in my work.

Respectfully submitted,

ANGELICA CARABELLO,

Music Supervisor.

REPORT OF THE MUSIC SUPERVISOR FOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

January 6, 1940.

Mr. Stephen Bean,
Superintendent of Schools,
Tewksbury, Mass.

Dear Sir:

The larger aim of the Department of Music has been, and is, the realization of musical conditions in our schools that would result in the development of such knowledge, understanding and skills in music as would, in turn result in love and appreciation of music. To this end the goals of accuracy in pitch, in rhythm, and in knowledge of fundamentals were set up; and step by step we have been progressing towards our goals. However, it is necessary to keep in mind that a clear understanding of the various elements that enter into and form the rudiments of music is a matter of slow growth, i. e., an unfoldment.

Believing that appreciation and love of music is best fostered and developed through participation, we have much singing and sufficient theory with a great deal of practice rather than much theory and less practice and singing.

Under the re-grading program books have been placed in each grade that were suitable for that grade. A criterion for work suitable for each grade was prepared and given to each teacher. This indicated what definite skills in music could be expected from each grade.

Rhythmic dancing has been introduced wherever possible. We hope to make better use of the toy orchestra as another aid in rhythmic expression.

We have been stressing the importance of our work in the seventh and eighth grades. Here we are confronted with physical, emotional and attitudinal problems which demand patience and understanding rather than drive. This is the time in the life of the child when it is necessary to keep the interest and attitude moving in the direction of a love for music as this is the time when it is most easily lost. We hope by this "love" to build up sufficient desire that will overcome the shyness, created by physical difficulty, to the extent that they are willing to make the effort to do their share while waiting for nature to perfect what we are attempting.

We have had no extra musical programs other than presenting the eighth grade in a program of music at graduation in June. The North School closed its year with the musical production "The Shoemaker and The Elves". At the Foster School we had a "Musical Matinee" in which all grades participated.

A great deal of credit is due the teachers for their genuine interest in what is being attempted. Their splendid cooperation and earnest effort make possible whatever is being accomplished. For this graciousness I am most deeply grateful.

I would express to you my sincere thanks for your interest and cooperation in the work.

Respectfully submitted,

ALICE L. STURTEVANT,

Music Supervisor.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

To the School Committee of the Town of Tewksbury:

As school physician I make the following report. The attention given school children this past year as well as the assistance given the school physician by our nurse, Miss Haines, has been of inestimable value. Her conscientious care of the under-nourished and watchful care of those who were taken ill in school has prevented the spread of contagious cases on two occasions.

The recent outbreak of measles was such that no control could be established and the attendance in the lower grades suffered the last three months.

As usual this spring we intend to have the diphtheria clinics for both pre-school and school children, notice of which will be sent to the parents. Our dental clinic is operating successfully under the supervision of Dr. Mahoney.

Respectfully submitted,

H. M. LARRABEE, M. D.,

School Physician.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

Mr. Stephen G. Bean
Superintendent of Schools
Tewksbury, Massachusetts

Dear Sir:

Another year has passed with its many health problems, but with them all we have been able to make inroads that will be of great benefit to many children in their future days.

Clinics for correction of bone defects and speech impediments have been added to Lowell hospitals by the State Department of Health and these, along with the other clinics already available make the health correction problem a comparatively easy one, except for finances. However, we have been able to accomplish a great deal in correcting eye, ear, nose, throat, skin and bone defects.

We increased our number at summer camp in 1938, also our Christmas Seal Sale which made this summer camp increase possible.

In the two clinics we have held for toxin-anti-toxin we have averaged well over 100 children immunized in each clinic. We appreciate the number especially of pre-school children inoculated and invite mothers to bring their pre-school children who have not been inoculated to our clinic which will be held again this spring. Due notice will be given of the time and place through the schools and newspapers.

For the past two years all vaccinations have been done before the children entered school, thus giving the children a chance to acclimate themselves to school life without medical interference. We feel that children entering school have a hard time enough of adjusting themselves to their new mode of living without adding this extra experience.

Through the cooperation of the P.-T. A. we have been able to continue our hot cocoa for the children who carry cold lunches. We are now serving between 325 and 350 cups daily which is far above the number of last year. The school census this year showed a total of 1118 children; 561 boys and 557 girls.

We still give the children periodic examinations and find cleaner heads and fewer skin eruptions, thus having to exclude fewer children and much less time is lost.

The teachers have been very cooperative in teaching health, using different health projects as an incentive to create a desire in the children to play and live the rules for "Good Health", which, if followed, will build for a strong body and mind.

To my co-workers and parents and all others who have helped make possible this year of progress, I am very happy to say thank you.

Respectfully submitted,

EDITH E. HAINES, R. N.

School Nurse.

ROSTER OF SCHOOL EMPLOYEES

Class	Name	School or Dept.	Address
Prin.	Whitman Pearson	High	Tewksbury
Teachers	Lawrence McGowan	High	Tewksbury
	Donald McSheehy	High	Tewksbury
	Francis Maria	High	Lowell
	Roland Bourdon	High	Tewksbury
	Catherine Maguire	High	Lowell
	Marjorie Scoboria	High	Chelmsford
	Kathryn Chandler	High	Tewksbury
	Evelyn Dutton	High	Dracut
	Phyllis Moran	High	Tewksbury
Prin.	Ethelyn Howard	Foster 8	Tewksbury
Teachers	Dorothy Ward	Foster 7	Tewksbury
	Alberta Ringer	Foster 8	Lowell
	Elizabeth Flynn	Foster 6	Chelmsford
	Marion Piper	Foster 5	Lowell
	Doris Blake	Foster 4	Wamesit
	Winifred Colbath	Foster 3	Tewksbury
	Virginia Cunningham	Foster 2	Lowell
	Mildred Rollo	Foster 1	Lowell
Prin.	Elizabeth Hill	Shaw. 6 & 7	So. Tewksbury
Teachers	Hazel Lambert	Shaw. 5	Lowell
	Ruth Lyons	Shaw. 3 & 4	Lowell
	Elizabeth Reynolds	Shaw. 1	Lowell
	Mary Katherina	Shaw. 2 & 3	Tewksbury
Prin.	Eva L. Hersey	North 5-8	No. Tewksbury
Teachers	Bernice Lyness	North 1-4	Lowell
Superv.	Margaret E. Mercier	Art Superv.	Melrose
	Angelica Carabello	Music High	Wilmington
	Alice Sturtevant	Music Elem.	Tewksbury
Health	Herbert M. Larrabee	Physician	Tewksbury
	Edith Haines	Nurse	Tewksbury
Janitors	Harry Wiley	High	Tewksbury
	Walter Lavelle	Foster	Tewksbury
	Robert Stavely	Shawsheen	Tewksbury
	Irving Bailey	North	No. Tewksbury
Trans.	Anthony Furtado, Jr.		Tewksbury
	Omer Blanchard		No. Tewksbury
	Fred H. Garlick		Tewksbury
Supt.	Stephen G. Bean		Wilmington

SCHOOL CENSUS

	5 yrs.-7yrs.	7 yrs.-14 yrs.	14-yrs.-16yrs.	16 yrs.-21yrs.	Total
BOYS	95	246	71	149	561
GIRLS	84	256	80	137	557
TOTAL	179	502	151	286	1118

SCHOOL CALENDAR, 1940

January 2 to February 23
Mid-Winter Vacation
March 4 to April 26
Spring Vacation
May 6 to June 14-Elem.
May 6 to June 21-High
Summer Vacation
September 4 to December 20
Christmas Vacation

HOLIDAYS

February 22
Good Friday
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OF THE

Town of Tewksbury

For the Year Ending December 31,

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TOWN of TEWKSBURY

LIST OF TOWN OFFICERS—1941

MODERATOR

MELVIN G. ROGERS

SELECTMEN

IRVING F. FRENCH, Chairman

BERNARD H. GREENE

DUNCAN J. CAMERON

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

DUNCAN J. CAMERON, Chairman

IRVING F. FRENCH

BERNARD H. GREENE

BOARD OF HEALTH

BERNARD H. GREENE, Chairman

IRVING F. FRENCH

DUNCAN J. CAMERON

ASSESSORS

BUZZELL KING, Chairman

AUSTIN F. FRENCH

PERCY L. HAINES

TOWN CLERK

H. LOUIS FARMER, JR.

TREASURER

GEORGE A. MARSHALL

COLLECTOR OF TAXES

HARRY C. DAWSON

TOWN AUDITOR

ROBERT E. GAY

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(Term expires 1942)

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(Term expires 1941)

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WINTHROP JONES

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

Records of Warrants and Proceedings of the Town Meetings —

Records of Births, Marriages, and Deaths.

Statement of Money Paid the Town Treasurer on Account of Dog Licenses, Money Paid the Division of Fisheries and Game, Money Paid the Town Treasurer for Town Licenses Issued, and Town Clerk Fees Paid to the Town Treasurer.

WARRANT FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Middlesex, ss:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town Affairs, to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury on Wednesday, February 7, 1940 at twelve o'clock noon, to act on the following articles:

ART. 1. To choose all necessary Town Officers, to choose by ballot a Moderator, Town Clerk, Three Selectmen, three members of the Board of Public Welfare, three members of the Board of Health, a Town Treasurer, an Auditor, a Collector of Taxes, a Tree Warden and three Constables, all to serve one year; one Highway Commissioner to serve three years; one member of the School Committee to serve three years, two Trustees of the Public Library to serve three years; one Park Commissioner to serve three years; one Assessor to serve three years; one Commissioner of Trust Fund to serve three years.

The polls for the election of Town Officers to be opened at twelve noon and to be closed at 8 P. M.

And you are also hereby further required and directed to notify and warn the said inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, who are qualified to vote on elections and Town affairs, therein to assemble subsequently and meet in Town Meeting at the Town Hall in said Town of Tewksbury on Wednesday, February 14, 1940, at seven-thirty o'clock P. M., then and there to act on the following articles:

ART. 2. To hear reports of Town Officers and Committees and act thereon.

ART. 3. To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise by taxation to defray necessary expenses for the current year, and make appropriations for the same.

ART. 4. To see if the Town will vote the money arising from licensing dogs, for the ensuing year to aid in support of the Public Library.

ART. 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1940 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

VOTED: That the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1940 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ART. 6. To see what regulations the Town will make for the possession, management and sale of land sold for unpaid taxes and for the assignment of Tax Titles not inconsistent with law or with the right of redemption as provided by Sect. 52 of Chap. 60 of the General Laws as amended by Sec. 3 of Chapter 126 of the Acts of 1927, and to see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for the enforcement of such rules and regulations.

ART. 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $350.00 for the proper observance of Memorial Day, and appoint a committee to expend the money. Said committee to be taken from members of Spanish War Veterans, American Legion, or Sons of Veterans.

ART. 8. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to institute suits on behalf of the Town or defend any suits that are, or may be brought against the Town, and to sign any contracts or agreements in behalf of the Town.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum sufficient to pay the County of Middlesex, as required by law, the Town's share of the net cost of the care, maintenance, and repair of the Middlesex County Tuberculosis Hospital, as assessed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 111 of the General Laws and Acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto including Chapter 400, Section 25 G (6) (a) of the Acts of 1936 or take any action in relation thereto.

ART. 10. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell, after first giving notice of the time and place of sale by posting such notice of sale in some convenient and public place in the town fourteen days at least before the sale, property taken by the town under tax title procedure provided that the selectmen or whomsoever they may authorize to hold such public auction may reject any bid which they deem inadequate, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 11. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen and Treasurer to petition the land court for a foreclosure of tax titles held by the Town for more than two years, as provided in Section 65 of Chapter 60, and to see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate therefor.

ART. 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,500.00 for the Maintenance of Chapter 90, highways: said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 13. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to establish a Road Machinery Fund for the purpose of purchasing, repairing, and operating road machinery, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 14. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Road Machinery Account, to which shall be accredited all receipts received for the use of rental of road machinery, the proceeds to be appropriated as voted by the Town for road machinery purposes, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 15. To see if the Town will vote to accept Myrtle Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 16. To see if the Town will vote to accept White Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 17. To see if the Town will vote to accept Laite Road, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 18. To see if the Town will vote to accept an extension on Sunnyslope Avenue, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 19. To see if the Town will vote to accept an extension on Highlandview Avenue, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 20. To see if the Town will vote to accept an extension on School Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 21. To see if the Town will vote to accept Robinson Avenue, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 22. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of $1,058.00, balance of the Hurricane Relief Fund, which was alloted to the Highway Department in 1938, to be used by the Highway Department for additional labor and materials on Chapter 81 streets.

ART. 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $200.00 for the Highway Department, to provide Street Signs on various streets in South Tewksbury, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 24. To see if the Town will vote to locate a light on Water Street, opposite Adelaide Road, and appropriate money for same, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 25. To see if the Town will vote to provide adequate street lighting along the new overpass at Wamesit, make appropriation for same; or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 26. To see if the Town will vote to install electric lights on Foster Street to the residence of Arthur Boisvert, and make appropriation for the same, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 27. To see if the Town will vote to install a street light on South Street, near the residence of Louis O'Connell, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 28. To see if the Town will vote to install one light on Clark Road, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 29. To see if the Town will vote to provide adequate street lighting on Main Street, between Chandler Street and St. William's Church, and install one or more 1000 candle power lights in the immediate vicinity of the church, make appropriation for same; or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 30. To see if the Town will vote to install one light at the corner of Woburn and Park Streets, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 31. To see if the Town will vote to install one light on East Street, between the residence of Roland Robinson and corner of East and Chandler Streets, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 32. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repairing and drainage of Summer Street, install one light on same, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 33. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate $1,080.00 for maintaining the services of a police officer at each of the elementary schools, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 34. To see if the Town will vote to have the Highway Department collect rubbish, garbage, or other refuse in various districts of the town on one day each week, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 35. To see if the voters will instruct the Board of Health to designate and provide one or more public dumps, if possible, on land now owned by the town, and prohibit dumping of rubbish along public roads; or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 36. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate $1,293.69 to pay bills of the State Department of Public Welfare, and cities and towns for welfare support of persons with Tewksbury settlements residing elsewhere.

ART. 37. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to be used in conjunction with Federal Funds for Works Projects Administration expenses for the year 1940, or take any action relative to the same.

ART. 38. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $100.00 for the purpose of paying the 1938 salary as Road Commissioner of John T. Gale.

ART. 39. To see if the Town will vote to reimburse the treasurer for money spent in the Welfare Department under Chapter 44, Section 31, the sum of $3,877.46.

ART. 40. To see if the Town will vote to reimburse the treasurer for money spent in the Aid To Dependent Children Account, under Chapter 44, Section 31, the sum of $205.50.

ART. 41. To see if the Town will vote to reimburse the treasurer for money spent in the Police Department, under Chapter 44, Section 31, the sum of $137.66.

ART. 42. To see if the Town will vote to reimburse the treasurer for money spent in the Fire Department under Chapter 44, Section 31, the sum of $241.55.

ART. 43. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for a reserve fund, under Section 6 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws, Tercentenary Ed., or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 44. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purpose of paying the Town's share of the material cost on Sponsor's Project No. 41; being a project to establish sidewalks, on East, Chandler and Pleasant Streets, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 45. To see if the Town will vote that all Motor Vehicles, owned by the Town of Tewksbury, shall be lettered with the name of Department to which the vehicle belongs, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 46. To see if the Town will vote to choose by ballot at the Annual Town Meeting in February, 1940 three Selectmen, three members of the Board of Public Welfare, and three members of the Board of Health, one to serve three years, one to serve two years, and one to serve one year, and each succeeding year to choose by ballot one Selectman, one member of the Board of Public Welfare, and one member of the Board of Health, to serve for the period of three years or to take any action relative to same.

ART. 47. To see if the Town will vote that the Highway Department, cut all brush on the highways of Tewksbury, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 48. To see if the Town will vote to abolish the Chief of Police, and the Board of Selectmen to appoint a Captain temporarily, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 49. To see if the Town will vote that all Boards shall notify, in writing, of all meetings and no sealed bids shall be opened until all members are present, or take any other action on same.

ART. 50. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen, to meet with the Lowell Electric Light Corp; Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Co., for lower rates, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 51. To see if the Town will vote that any Citizen of Tewksbury, receiving $25.00 or more per week, cannot collect for services in any other department, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 52. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $800.00 for the purchasing of Stop Signs, No Parking Signs and other signs and the erecting of same as recommended by the Department of Public Works in a survey recently made by the Town Safety Committee and Engineers of the Department of Public Works, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 53. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,550.00 to purchase a General Motors Truck of one and one-half ton, 131⅛ inch wheel base, chassis and cab over, Model A. F. 312, a 350-gallon booster tank, and material for equipping same, or take any other action relative thereto. (Pump, Hose and other equipment to be taken off Number Four (4) Truck.

ART. 54. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of six hundred and one dollars ($601.00) to pay counsel fees and other expenses incurred in defending the case before the appellate Board of tax appeals of Blanche B. Ames against the Board of Assessors.

ART. 55. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00, being the sum appropriated by the Town under Article 15 at the Annual Town Meeting held February 2, 1938 and omitted by the assessors in their levy of that year.

ART. 56. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $50.00 in support of the Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture, through the Middlesex County Extension Service, and elect a director. Said money to be spent under the direction of the local director, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 57. To see if the Town will permit in accordance with Section 34 of Chapter 114 of the General Laws the use of the following described parcel of land in Tewksbury for the extension of the cemetery owned by the Tewksbury Cemetery Corporation.—

Said parcel is bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the parcel on the northerly side of East Street; thence northerly along the stone wall and land of the Tewksbury Cemetery Corporation about five hundred twenty (520) feet to land formerly of the Lowell and Lawrence Railroad; thence easterly three hundred thirty-four (334) feet to an iron pipe; thence southerly about four hundred and twenty (420) feet to an iron pipe; thence westerly ninety (90) feet, more or less, to the northeast corner of land of A. W. Pendleton; thence still westerly along the northerly side of said Pendleton land one hundred (100) feet; thence still westerly thirty (30) feet to an iron pipe; thence southerly one hundred (100) feet to East Street; thence westerly about one hundred fourteen (114) feet to the point of beginning. Being a part of the premises conveyed to Walter J. Robinson by deed of Albert S. Briggs dated July 9, 1912 and recorded in Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 490, Page 270.

attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices and leave one hundred copies for the use of the citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, eight days at least and over two Sundays, before the time of said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid:

Given under our hands, this seventeenth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty.

IRVING F. FRENCH,
EVERETT H. KING,
BERNARD H. GREENE,
} Selectmen of Tewksbury.

A true copy attest:
CYRIL L. BARKER,
Constable of Tewksbury.

February 7, 1940

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

I have served the within Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and by leaving one hundred (100) copies for the use of the Citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, eight days at least and over two Sundays, before time of holding said Meeting.

CYRIL L. BARKER
Constable of Tewksbury.

A true copy. Attest:
H. LOUIS FARMER, Jr.
Town Clerk.

ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION

Tewksbury, Massachusetts, February 7, 1940

At a Meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town Affairs, at the Town Hall, this day, the following business was transacted. Warrant was read by the Presiding Election Officer, Irving F. French, and the Polls were officially opened at ten o'clock A.M. Jeremiah Houlihan, Jesse French, Wallace Farwell, Anna McPhillips, William A. Smith and Thomas Sullivan sworn in as Tellers. Polls closed at eight P.M. with the Register showing 1187 (on three different occasions the Register registered twice on a single ballot), Check List showed one thousand one hundred eighty-four names checked as voted which checked with the eleven hundred and eighty-four ballots counted. Following is the result of the count:—

Town Clerk for One Year

H. Louis Farmer, Jr. had	906	votes	(elected and sworn)
Blanks	178	"	

Selectmen for One Year

Duncan J. Cameron had	618	votes	(elected and sworn)
Irving F. French had	749	"	(elected and sworn)
Bernard H. Greene had	633	"	(elected and sworn)
Everett H. King had	546	"	
Blanks	706	"	

Board of Public Welfare for One Year

Duncan J. Cameron had	624	votes	(elected and sworn)
Irving F. French had	744	"	(elected and sworn)
Bernard H. Greene had	630	"	(elected and sworn)
Everett H. King had	540	"	
Alfred A. Lawlor had	1	"	
Blanks	713	"	

Board of Health for One Year

Duncan J. Cameron had	622	votes	(elected and sworn)
Irving F. French had	741	"	(elected and sworn)
Bernard H. Greene had	634	"	(elected and sworn)
Everett H. King had	532	"	
Blanks	723	"	

Auditor for One Year

Robert E. Gay had	890 votes	(elected and sworn)
Blanks	194 "	

Treasurer for One Year

George A. Marshall had	938 votes	(elected and sworn)
Blanks	146 "	

Moderator for One Year

Melvin G. Rogers had	886 votes	(elected and sworn)
Herbert Trull had	3 "	
Mrs. Melvin Rogers had	1 "	
John Belton had	1 "	
Alphonas Doucette had	1 "	
Chas. McCarthy had	1 "	
Blanks	191 "	

Tax Collector for One Year

Harry C. Dawson had	922 votes	(elected and sworn)
Wm. McGowan had	1 "	
Alice Pike had	1 "	
Harry Briggs had	1 "	
Blanks	159 "	

Tree Warden for One Year

Harris M. Briggs had	862 votes	(elected and sworn)
Nelson Brown had	1 "	
Geo. Mercier had	1 "	
Teddy LaBuff had	1 "	
George Gale had	1 "	
Blanks	218 "	

Trust Fund Commissioner for Three Years

Edwin W. Osterman had	812 votes	(elected and sworn)
Blanks	272 "	

Constables for One Year

Cyril L. Barker had	835	votes	(elected and sworn)
Chester E. Burgess had	836	"	(elected and sworn)
Lauchie McPhail had	817	"	(elected and sworn)
Ross Sargent had	1	"	
Wm. McGowan had	1	"	
Henry Morgan had	1	"	
Blanks	761	"	

Highway Commissioner for Three Years

Louis O. Berube had	520	votes	(elected and sworn)
Asahel H. Jewell had	507	"	
Blanks	57	"	

School Committee for Three Years

May L. Larrabee had	654	votes	(elected and sworn)
E. James O'Donoghue had	360	"	
Jos. Aubut had	1	"	
Blanks	69	"	

Trustees Public Library for Three Years

Edgar Smith had	812	votes	(elected and sworn)
Ruth W. Smith had	806	"	(elected and sworn)
Thos. Flynn had	1	"	
Blanks	549	"	

Park Commissioner for Three Years

Joseph L. Maher had	227	votes	
Walter Roberts had	620	"	(elected and sworn)
Mickey Mouse had	1	"	
Daniel McKlabup had	1	"	
Alexander Supernant had	1	"	
Fred Carter had	1	"	
Jeremiah Houlihan had	1	"	
Fred Goodwin had	2	"	
Teddy LeBouef had	3	"	

Assessor for Three Years

Buzzell King had	862	votes	(elected and sworn)
Elmer Snead had	1	"	
Fred Carter had	1	"	

A true record.
Attest:

H. LOUIS FARMER, Jr.,
Town Clerk.
Tewksbury, Mass., February 12, 1940

Office of the Board of Registrars:

We hereby certify, this day, February 12, 1940, we have recounted the votes cast at the Town Election, held February 7, 1940 at the Town Hall, Tewksbury, Massachusetts, for Highway Commissioner for a term of three years, and have found the following results:

Louis O. Berube had	521	votes
Asahel H. Jewell had	507	"
Blanks	56	
Total	1084	

Attest:

HERBERT A. FAIRBROTHER, Chairman
GEORGE J. McCOY,
WM. H. BENNETT,
H. LOUIS FARMER, Jr., Clerk.

A true copy.

Attest: H. LOUIS FARMER, Jr.,

Town Clerk.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Town Hall, Tewksbury, Massachusetts

February 14, 1940

At a meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town Affairs, held this day in the Town Hall, Tewksbury, Massachusetts, the following business was transacted:—

Meeting called to order by Melvin G. Rogers, Moderator, at eight o'clock P.M. Check list used and a necessary quorum was found to be present. Rev. Matthew J. Noonan O.M.I. offered prayer. Moderator Rogers announced that Article 1 had been acted on the week previous in accordance with the By-law adopted by the Town at the last Annual Town Meeting, and if there were no objections he would pass over Articles 2, 3 and 4 and proceed with Article 5; there were no objections.

ART. 5. VOTED: That the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1940 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Moderator Rogers then asked the voters if they desired to postpone the Meeting due to the inclement weather and because of the fact that less than one hundred voters out of a registration of nearly seventeen hundred were present. A motion by Mr. John Belton that the Meeting be postponed until one week from this day at seven-thirty P. M. was unanimously voted. Meeting adjourned at eight minutes past eight o'clock P.M.

A true record.

Attest: H. LOUIS FARMER, Jr.,

Town Clerk.

POSTPONED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Town Hall, Tewksbury, Massachusetts

February 21, 1940

At a Meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town Affairs, held this day, February twenty-first, in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Nine hundred and forty, in the Town Hall Tewksbury, Massachusetts, the following business was transacted:

Meeting called to order by Moderator Melvin G. Rogers at seven-thirty o'clock P.M. Check list used and quorum found to be present.

ART. 2. All reports of Town Officers and Committees accepted.

ART. 3. VOTED: to raise and appropriate the following sums:

Street Lighting	$ 5,970.00
Incidentals	900.00
Highways	16,000.00
Schools	59,919.00
Library—Dog Tax and	1,250.00
Police	6,000.00
Stationery and Printing	1,150.00
Board of Health	2,500.00
Park Commission	300.00
Tree Warden	1,500.00
Fire Department	5,000.00

Department of Public Welfare—Voted: That $14,000.00 be raised and appropriated; $1,000.00 of which, shall be used to employ the services of a competent Welfare Investigator; one who is not a citizen or resident of this town, who will investigate the current assignments now on our Welfare Rolls. This Investigator shall be selected by the following members of the Finance Committee:—

Mr. Philip Battles
Mr. Mark Roper
Mr. Franklin Spaulding

The Committee shall instruct the investigator as to the nature of the report desired and receive his report.

Aid to Dependent children (plus Federal grants)	$ 4,000.00
Bureau of Old Age Assistance (plus Federal grants)	9,500.00
Town Hall	3,800.00
Assessors	2,500.00

Vocational Schools	1,800.00
Inspection of Meats and Animals	600.00
Aid, State and Military	2,500.00
Interest on Loans	500.00
Collection of Taxes	1,200.00
Municipal Insurance	1,500.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	225.00
Dog Officer	100.00
Maintenance, Legion Headquarters	125.00
Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths	1,500.00
Board of Registrars	650.00

Salary Account

Auditor	700.00
Town Clerk (exclusive of all fees)	750.00
Tax Collector	1,500.00
Selectmen	800.00
Road Commissioners	400.00
School Committee	225.00
Election Officers	150.00
Treasurer	1,300.00

ART. 4. Adopted.

ART. 5. (Voted at Meeting held February 14, 1940)

ART. 6. VOTED: That the present or any succeeding Town Treasurer, may during his term of office, with the approval of the then Selectmen, sell or assign any tax title held by the Town whether redeemable or unredeemable, for a sum not less than the consideration named in the tax deed plus interest thereon at the rate of eight percent (8%) per annum from the date of the deed to the date of the sale or assignment of the tax title, plus the cost of recording said deed, and plus a sum not less than the taxes of the two years succeeding the year in which the tax was assessed for which the tax sale was made. The Board of Selectmen shall keep a book exclusively for the records of such approvals by them of sales or assignments of tax titles and the secretary of said Board shall, upon such approval by the Board of a sale or assignment give notice immediately in writing to the Town Auditor, stating the title which is being sold or assigned, and consideration to be received therefor.

Voted: to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 to be used by the Treasurer for assistance in securing tax titles.

ART. 7. Adopted. Committee to be appointed by the Moderator.

Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of $350.00 for the proper observance of Memorial Day.

Committee appointed by Moderator: Harold J. Patten, Asa Stickney and Gilbert Hunt

ART. 8. VOTED: That the Selectmen be and hereby are authorized to institute suits on behalf of the Town or defend any suits that are, or may be brought against the Town, and to sign any contracts or agreements in behalf of the Town.

ART. 9. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $1,309.48 for the purposes outlined in this Article.

ART. 10. VOTED: That the Selectmen be and hereby are authorized to sell, after first giving notice of the time and place of sale by posting such notice of sale in some convenient and public place in the Town fourteen days at least before the sale, property taken by the Town under Tax Title procedure provided that the Selectmen or whomsoever they may authorize to hold such public auction may reject any bid which they deem inadequate.

ART. 11. VOTED: That the Selectmen and Treasurer be and hereby are authorized to petition the land court for a foreclosure of Tax Titles held by the Town for more than two years, as provided in Section 65 of Chapter 60, General Laws, and to raise and appropriate the sum of $250.00 therefor.

ART. 13. VOTED: That the Town appropriate the sum of $1,027.23, being the balance at present in the Highway Machinery Fund, together with all receipts for the use of Road Machinery from any source whatsoever and that the Highway Commissioners be and hereby are authorized to purchase from such fund, whenever in their judgment it becomes necessary, whatever new equipment or trucks the Highway Department may need; and to pay whatever cost of repairs and maintenance that may be incurred in the usual operations of the Highway Department provided that at the time of the above purchases the said Fund necessary shall be in the said Highway Maintenance Fund a sum large enough to pay for the article so purchased.

ART. 12. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $2,500.00 for the Maintenance of Chapter 90, highways: said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose.

ART. 14. VOTED: To establish a Road Machinery Account, to which shall be accredited all receipts received for the use of rental of road machinery, the proceeds to be appropriated as voted by the Town for road machinery purposes.

ART. 15. VOTED: To accept Myrtle Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners with the boundaries and measurements as shown on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 16. VOTED: To accept White Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 17. VOTED: To accept Laite Road, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 18. VOTED: To accept an extension on Sunnyslope Avenue, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 19. VOTED: To accept an extension on Highlandview Avenue, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 20. VOTED: To accept an extension on School Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 21. VOTED: To accept Robinson Avenue, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 22. VOTED: To transfer the sum of $1,058.00, balance of the Hurricane Relief Fund, which was alloted to the Highway Department in 1938, to be used by the Highway Department for additional labor and materials on Chapter 81 Streets.

ART. 23. VOTED: To refer this Article to the Highway Department.

ART. 24. VOTED: To lay on the table. (And take up under Article 3.)

ART. 25. VOTED: To lay on the table. (And take up under Article 3.)

ART. 26. Indefinitely postponed.

ART. 27. VOTED: To lay on the table. (And take up under Article 3.)

ART. 28. VOTED: To lay on the table. (And take up under Article 3.)

ART. 29. VOTED: To lay on the table. (And take up under Article 3.)

ART. 30. VOTED: To lay on the table. (And take up under Article 3.)

ART. 31. VOTED: To lay on the table. (And take up under Article 3.)

ART. 32. VOTED: To refer to the Highway Department the repairing and drainage of Summer Street, and to lay on the table that part of the Article to instal a light on said Street and take up under Article 3., Street Lighting.

ART. 33. Motion to indefinitely postpone. Moderator in doubt of vote. Louis O. Berube and Abbott Battles appointed and sworn in as Tellers by the Moderator, and count taken. Fifty-seven in favor of indefinite postponement and one hundred seventeen opposed.

VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $360.00 to maintain the services of Police Officer at the schools in the Centre and that the janitors of schools in other parts of the Town receive the necessary qualifications to guard the safety of the children at their respective schools.

ART. 34. Motion to indefinitely postpone. Tellers used and the count was; one hundred two in favor, sixty-six opposed.

ART. 35. VOTED: To instruct the Board of Health to designate and provide one or more public dumps, if possible, on land now owned by the Town, and to prohibit dumping of rubbish along public roads, and for the Police to take notice thereof.

ART. 36. VOTED: To raise and appropriate $1,293.69 to pay bills of the State Department of Public Welfare, and cities and towns for welfare support of persons with Tewksbury settlements residing elsewhere.

ART. 37. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $10,000.00 to be used in conjunction with Federal Funds for Work Projects Administration expenses for the year 1940.

ART. 38. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 for the purpose of paying the 1938 salary as Road Commissioner of John T. Gale.

ART. 39. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $3,877.46 to reimburse the treasurer for money spent in the Welfare Department under Chapter 44, Section 31, General Laws.

ART. 40. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $205.50 to reimburse the treasurer for money spent in the Aid to Dependent Children Account, under Chapter 44, Section 31, General Laws.

ART. 41. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $137.66 to reimburse the treasurer for money spent in the Police Department, under Chapter 44, Section 31, General Laws.

ART. 42. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $241.55 to reimburse the treasurer for money spent in the Fire Department under Chapter 44, Section 31, General Laws.

ART. 43. Indefinitely postponed.

ART. 44. VOTED: To refer this Article to the Board of Selectmen.

ART. 45. Indefinitely postponed.

ART. 46. Indefinitely postponed.

ART. 47. Indefinitely postponed.

ART. 48. Indefinitely postponed.

ART. 49. Motion to adopt this Article defeated. Tellers used and the count was eight in favor, fifty-nine opposed.

ART. 50. VOTED: To instruct the Selectmen, to meet with the Lowell Electric Light Corp., Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Co., for lower rates.

ART. 51. Motion to indefinitely postpone was defeated.

VOTED: That any Citizen of Tewksbury, receiving $25.00 or more per week, in one department of the Town, cannot collect for services in any other department of the Town.

ART. 52. Motion to indefinitely postpone was defeated.
VOTED: To refer this Article to the Highway Department.

ART. 53. Motion to indefinitely postpone was defeated.
VOTED: To adopt this Article as it appears in the Warrant.

ART. 54. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $601.00 to pay counsel expenses and other expenses incurred in defending the case before the Appellate Board of tax appeals of Blanche B. Ames against the Board of Assessors.

ART. 55. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 and adopt this Article.

ART. 56. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $50.00 and adopt this article.

Mrs. May L. Larrabee nominated and elected to serve as director under this Article.

ART. 57. VOTED: To permit, in accordance with Section 34 of Chapter 114 of the General Laws, the use of the following described parcel of land in Tewksbury for the extension of the cemetery owned by the Tewksbury Cemetery Corporation:—

Said parcel is bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the parcel on the Northerly side of East Street; thence northerly along the stonewall and land of the Tewksbury Cemetery Corporation about five hundred and twenty (520) feet to land formerly of the Lowell and Lawrence Railroad; thence easterly three hundred and thirty-four (334) feet to an iron pipe; thence southerly about four hundred and twenty feet (420) to an iron pipe; thence westerly ninety (90) feet, more or less, to the northeast corner of land of A. W. Pendleton; thence still westerly along the northern side of said Pendleton land one hundred (100) feet; thence still westerly thirty (30) feet to an iron pipe; thence southerly one hundred (100) feet to East Street; thence westerly about one hundred fourteen (114) feet to the point of the beginning. Being a part of the premises conveyed to Walter J. Robinson by deed of Albert S. Briggs dated July 9, 1912 and recorded in Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 490, Page 720.

Mr. Ralph J. Tousignant appointed and sworn as a Teller by the Moderator to act with Mr. Berube and count of the vote was taken; forty-six in favor, twenty-seven opposed.

Meeting adjourned at forty-five minutes past ten o'clock P.M.

A true record.

ATTEST: H. LOUIS FARMER, Jr.

Town Clerk of Tewksbury.

TOWN WARRANT FOR PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex ss:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury in said County:

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Primaries to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury, on Tuesday, the 30th Day of April, 1940, at twelve o'clock P.M. for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Election of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

4 DELEGATES AT LARGE to the National Convention of the Republican Party.

4 ALTERNATE DELEGATES AT LARGE to the National Convention of the Republican Party.

12 DELEGATES AT LARGE to the National Convention of the Democratic Party.

12 ALTERNATE DELEGATES AT LARGE to the National Convention of the Democratic Party.

2 DISTRICT DELEGATES to the National Convention of the Republican Party, 5th Congressional District.

2 ALTERNATE DISTRICT DELEGATES to the National Convention of the Republican Party, 5th Congressional District.

4 DISTRICT DELEGATES to the National Convention of the Democratic Party, 5th Congressional District.

4 ALTERNATE DISTRICT DELEGATES to the National Convention of the Democratic Party, 5th Congressional District.

DISTRICT MEMBERS OF STATE COMMITTEE—(One Man and One Woman) for each Political party for the 7th Middlesex Senatorial District.

15 MEMBERS OF THE REPUBLICAN TOWN COMMITTEE.

10 MEMBERS OF THE DEMOCRATIC TOWN COMMITTEE.

The polls will be open from 12 P.M. to 8 P.M.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices and leave one hundred copies for the use of the Citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, 8 days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said Meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid:

Given under our hands this seventh day of April A. D. 1940.

IRVING F. FRENCH,
BERNARD H. GREENE,
DUNCAN J. CAMERON,

Selectmen of Tewksbury.

A true copy.

ATTEST:

CYRIL L. BARKER, Constable

April 20, 1940.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex ss:

Tewksbury, Mass., April 30, 1940

I have served the within warrant by posting up Attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the post offices, and by leaving 100 copies for the use of the Citizens at the Post Offices in said town, eight days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said meeting.

CYRIL L. BARKER,

Constable of Tewksbury.

A true copy.

ATTEST:

H. LOUIS FARMER, Jr., Town Clerk.

PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY

Town Hall, Tewksbury, Massachusetts April 30, 1940. At a meeting of the inhabitants qualified to vote in primary elections, held this day, the following business was transacted. Polls opened at twelve o'clock noon with Thomas P. Sullivan, Anna McPhillips, Wallace Farwell, and Jesse French as tellers. Register showed 00000. Polls closed at eight o'clock P.M. and register showed 64 which checked with the voting list. Following is the result of the count:

Republican Party

Delegates at Large

William H. Masters of 7 Rutland Street, Cambridge	8
Byron P. Hayden of 159 Maynard Street, Springfield	7
Harry P. Gibbs of 62 Denton Street, Brockton	7
Selden G. Hill of 34 Ash Street, Danvers	10

Alternate Delegates

Abbie L. Tebbets of 104 Summer Street, Waltham	8
Berton S. Evans of Groton—Harvard Road, Ayer	8
Annie L. Brown of 1263 Main Street, Leominster	9
Lucius K. Thayer of 156 Washington Street, Marblehead	8

Delegates at Large

Leverett Saltonstall of 240 Chestnut Hill Road, Newton	27
Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr. of 275 Hale Street, Beverly	27
Joseph W. Martin, Jr. of 54 Grove Street, No. Attleborough	23
John W. Haigis of 24 Church Street, Greenfield	23

Alternate Delegates

Mary B. Besse of 120 Main Street, Wareham	22
Orin S. Kenney of 5 Somerset Avenue, Beverly	20
Mary Phillips Bailey of Hampton Ter., Northampton	20
Irene Gowetz of 384 Chandler Street, Worcester	18

Alternate Delegates Not Grouped

Henry Morris	1
Blanks	114

District Delegates
Group One

Emile Marquis of 83 Central Street, Woburn	8
John H. MacDonald of 255 Hildreth Street, Lowell	7

Alternate Delegates
Group One

Elvy N. Prentiss of 15 Fremont Street, Reading	9
Grace N. Knight of 11 Tanger Street, Arlington	8

District Delegates
Group Two

Paul R. Foisy of 259 Beacon Street, Lowell	11
Raymond S. Wilkins of 25 Cabot Street, Winchester	11

Alternate Delegates

Maude M. Johnson of 100 Bellevue Avenue, Melrose	10

District Delegates

Elizabeth F. Taylor of 117 School Street, Belmont	11

Not Grouped

Mary Walsh Brennan of 437 East Merrimack Street, Lowell	2
Ralph K. Coleman of Hildreth Street, Westford	0
Robert J. W. Stone of 20 Lovell Road, Melrose	0
Blanks	103

State Committee

John Howard Pearson of 69 Clitheroe Street, Lowell	27
Herbert Trull	1
Blanks	17

State Committee

Helen W. Learoyd of 101 Chestnut Street, Wakefield	22
Blanks	23

Town Committee

Herbert Trull	10
Harris Briggs	4
Maude Griffin	2

William Caster	2
Bertha Bennett	2
Anna Young	2
Melvin Rogers	2
Austin French	1
Jesse French	1
Irving French	3
May Larrebee	2
Arthur Fairgrieve	1
Louis Farmer, Jr.	3
Franklin Spaulding	3
Harold Patten	1
Winifred Colbath	1
Mark Roper	5
Cyril Barker	1
Phillip Battles	2
Abbott Battles	1
J. Harper Gale	1
Samuel Crown	1
Elmer Olson	1
Walter Ackles	1
George Marshall	1
Percy Haines	1
Herman Bischoff	1

Democratic Party

Delegates at Large
Group One

David I Walsh of 37 Day Street, Fitchburg	15
Paul A. Dever of 86 Buckingham Street, Cambridge	15
John W. McCormack of 726 Columbia Road, Boston	14
Maurice J. Tobin of 30 Hopkins Road, Boston	15
William H. Burke Jr. of 70 Main Street, Hatfield	15
James M. Curley of 350 Jamaicaway, Boston	15
Charles F. Hurley of 57 Fresh Pond Lane, Cambridge	15
Joseph B. Ely of 66 Broad Street, Westfield	15
Francis E. Kelly of 1176 Morton Street, Boston	14
Roger L. Putnam of 216 Central Street, Springfield	15
William J. Foley of 388 West Fourth Street, Boston	15
Alexander G. Lajoie of 180 Strafford Road, Worcester	15
Blanks	50

Alternate Delegates

Henry K. Cushing of 497 Washington Street, Brookline	12
Joseph A. Scolponeti of 31 May Street, Boston	11
Elizabeth L. McNamara of 239 Upland Road, Cambridge	12
Catherine E. Hanifin of South Main Street, Belchertown	11
Sadie H. Mulrone of 48 Terrence Street, Springfield	12
Clementina Langone of 190 North Street, Boston	11
Anna A. Sharry of 730 Pleasant Street, Worcester	11
Margaret M. O'Riordan of 14 Asticou Road, Boston	12
John Zielinski of 473 Hillside Avenue, Holyoke	11
Mary Maliotis of 272 Foster Street, Boston	11
Michael J. Batal of 56 Nesmith Street, Lawrence	11
Morris Kritzman of 36 Woolson Street, Boston	11
Blanks	92

District Delegates

Daniel O'Dea of 109 Glenwood Street, Lowell	11
George T. Ashe of 201 Cross Street, Lowell	12
James J. Bruin of 161 School Street, Lowell	8
Edward W. Kenney of 485 Main Street, Woburn	8

Alternate Delegates

Gerald F. Cronin of 344 Varnum Avenue, Lowell	11
Edward P. Gilgun of 112 Garfield Street, Woburn	6
Walter H. Wilcox of 6 Eaton Street, Woburn	7
Eleanor L. Daly of 399 Broadway, Cambridge	6

District Delegates
Not Grouped

Walter McCarron of 142 Myrtle Street, Lowell	6
Elizabeth F. O'Sullivan of 27 Burtt Street, Lowell	1
Francis J. Roane of 46 Burtt Street, Lowell	4
Raymond A. Willett, Jr. of 77 Salem Street, Woburn	2
Blanks	24

Alternate Delegates
Not Grouped

Edward F. Clancy, Jr. of 68 Newhall Street, Lowell	2
Firmo Correa of 196 Merrimack Street, Lowell	0
John H. Gallagher of 89 Washington Street, Stoneham	1
Bartholomew B. O'Sullivan of 27 Burtt Street, Lowell	2
James F. McCarron of 142 Myrtle Street, Lowell	5
Blanks	36

State Committee
Man

Harry C. Carragher of 147 Wentworth Avenue, Lowell	1
Frank A. Cassidy of 305 East Merrimack Street, Lowell	4
Maurice D. Condrey of 91 Fort Hill Avenue, Lowell	6
William D. Dacey of 176 Andover Street, Lowell	4
William P. McGarry of 31 Grove Avenue, Lowell	0
Blanks	4

State Committee
Woman

Frances Z. O'Toole of 48 Meade Street, Lowell	6
Blanks	13

Town Committee

Ed. Walsh	1
Louis Breube	2
Herbert Fairbrother	2
Thomas Sullivan	1
John Belton	1
Howard King	4
Arthur Fairgrieve	2
William McGowan	2
John Kelley	3
Anthony Kelley	1
Jeremiah Houlihan	1
Herbert Trull	1
Leo Bonugli	1
Anna McPhillips	1

A true record.

Attest:

H. LOUIS FARMER, JR.,

Town Clerk.

WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Middlesex ss:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town affairs, to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury,

On Friday, the 10th Day of May, 1940,

at eight o'clock, P. M. to act on the following articles:

ART. 1. To see what sum the Town will vote to make repairs and alterations at the Foster and Shawsheen Schools, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 2. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the present treasurer or any subsequent Treasurer to sell with the consent of the Board of Selectmen, or any subsequent Board of Selectmen, lots acquired by the foreclosure of tax titles under Section 79 and 80 of Chapter 60 of the General Laws of Massachusetts, Tercentenary Edition, 1932, whenever said tax title does not exceed $15.— in unpaid charges thereon, for such sum as may in their judgment be advantageous to the Town.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices and leave one hundred copies for the use of the Citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, 8 days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said Meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid:

Given under our hands this twenty-fourth day of April A. D., 1940

IRVING F. FRENCH,
BERNARD H. GREENE,
DUNCAN J. CAMERON,
Selectmen of Tewksbury.

A true copy.
Attest:

CYRIL L. BARKER,
Constable.

4-27-40.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,

Middlesex ss. May 10, 1940.

I have served the within Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and by leaving 100 copies for the use of the citizens at the Post Offices in Said Town, eight days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said Meeting.

CYRIL L. BARKER,

Constable of Tewksbury.

A true copy,

Attest:

H. LOUIS FARMER, JR.,

Town Clerk.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Town Hall, Tewksbury, Massachusetts

May 10, 1940

Meeting called to order at eight o'clock P. M. by Moderator Melvin G. Rogers. Check list used and a necessary quorum was found to be present. The following business was transacted:

ART. 1. Motion by Franklin F. Spaulding that the sums of $700.00, $150.00, $230.00 and $20.00, making a total of $1,100.00, be appropriated. Seconded.

Amendment accepted that the amount appropriated be paid out of Surplus Balances.

Motion by John T. Gale that $6,000.00 be appropriated for this Article. (Not Seconded.)

Motion by John Belton that the sum of $3,500.00 be appropriated for the purposes outlined in Article 1, said amount to be paid out of Surplus Balances. Seconded.

Voted unanimously that the above motion be adopted.

ART. 2. VOTED: That the Town authorize the present Treasurer or any subsequent Treasurer to sell with the consent of the Board of Selectmen, or any subsequent Board of Selectmen, lots acquired by the foreclosure of tax titles under Section 79 and 80 of Chapter 60 of the General Laws of Massachusetts, Tercentenary Edition, 1932, whenever said tax title does not exceed $15.00 in unpaid charges thereon, for such sum as may in their judgement be advantageous to the Town.

Meeting adjourned at 8.44 o'clock P. M.

A true record.

Attest:

H. LOUIS FARMER, JR.,

Town Clerk

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex ss:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in the Primaries, to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury,

On Tuesday, the 17th Day of September, 1940,
at twelve o'clock M. to act on the following articles:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Nomination of Candidates of Political parties for the following offices:

Governor ..... for this Commonwealth.....
Lieutenant Governor ..... for this Commonwealth.....
Secretary of the Commonwealth ..... for this Commonwealth.....
Treasurer and Receiver-General ..... for this Commonwealth.....
Auditor of the Commonwealth ..... for this Commonwealth.....
Attorney General ..... for this Commonwealth.....
Senator in Congress ..... for this Commonwealth.....
Representative in Congress ..... for Fifth Congressional District
Councillor ..... for Sixth Councillor District
Senator ..... for 7th Middlesex Senatorial Dis.
One Representative in General Court for 19th Representative District
Clerk of Courts ..... for Middlesex County
Register of Deeds ..... for North Middlesex District
County Commissioners (2)
(except in Suffolk and Nantucket
Counties) ..... for Middlesex County

VACANCIES

In County of Dukes County: A County Treasurer
In Hampshire County: A County Treasurer
In Middlesex County: A County Treasurer
In Suffolk County: A Sheriff

And for the election of the following officers,

Three Delegates to the State Convention of the Republican Party
Two Delegates to the State Convention of the Democratic Party

The Polls will open from 12 o'clock Noon to 8 o'clock P. M.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices and leave one hundred copies for the use of the Citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, 8 days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said Meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid:

Given under our hands this third day of September, A. D., 1940

IRVING F. FRENCH,
BERNARD H. GREENE,
DUNCAN J. CAMERON,

Selectmen of Tewksbury.

A true copy.
Attest:

CYRIL L. BARKER,
Constable

9-7-1940.

Conmmonwealth of Massachusetts — Tewksbury, Mass.

Middlesex ss: — Sept. 17, 1940

I have served the within Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and by leaving 100 copies for the use of the Citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, eight days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said Meeting.

CYRIL L. BARKER,
Constable of Tewksbury

A true copy.
Attest:

H. LOUIS FARMER, JR.,
Town Clerk.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts — Tewksbury, Mass.

Middlesex ss: — Sept. 17, 1940

At a Meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in State Primaries, held this day in the Town Hall, Tewksbury, Massachusetts, the following business was transacted. Polls opened at noon (12 o'clock) with William A. Smith, Jesse J. French, Anna E. McPhillips, Jeremiah Houlihan, Thomas F. Sullivan and Wallace Farwell sworn in as tellers. Register showed 0000. Polls closed at eight o'clock P. M. with the register showing 506 which checked with the voting list and the number of ballots counted. Following is the result of the count.

REPUBLICAN PARTY

Governor

Leverett Saltonstall	346
Blanks	32

Lieutenant-Governor

Horace T. Cahill	331
Blanks	47

Secretary

Frederick W. Cook	332
Blanks	46

Treasurer

William E. Hurley	329
Blanks	49

Auditor

Russell A. Wood	322
Blanks	56

Attorney General

Clarence A. Barnes	27
Robert T. Bushnell	208
William C. Crossley	15
Edmund R. Dewing	19
Michael A. Fredo	1
George W. Roberts	87
Blanks	21

Senator in Congress

Henry Parkman, Jr.	309
Blanks	69

Congressman, Fifth District

Edith Nourse Rogers	351
Famagust S. Paulson	17
Blanks	10

Councillor, Sixth District

Eugene A. F. Burtnett	130
Mary Walsh Brennan	99
Oscar Codding	8
Meril A. Dorion	10
Willis A. Hutton	9
Frank E. Lewis	55
Blanks	67

Senator, Seventh Middlesex District

Arthur W. Coolidge	280
Louis Ellenwood	44
Blanks	54

Representative in General Court, Nineteenth Middlesex District

Sam G. Pillsbury	319
Blanks	59

Clerk of Courts, Middlesex County

Frederic L. Putnam	293
Harold A. Murray	24
Blanks	61

Register of Deeds, Middlesex Northern District

Wilfred J. Achin	92
Georges E. Caisse	14
Arthur W. Colburn	101
Harold W. Hartwell, Jr.	107
George E. Marchand	17
Blanks	47

County Commissioners, Middlesex County

Nathaniel I. Bowditch	96
Lewis A. Adams	4
Leslie G. Ainley	18
Howe Coolidge Amee	2
Robert W. Beyer	5
Maurice V. Blomerth	2
Thomas B. Brennan	4
Edward J. Bushnell	18
Ernest J. Chislom	4
Donald B. Falvey	0
Harry R. Gardner	2
Archibald R. Giroux	11
William A. Hastings	23
Arthur K. Reading	12
Charles A. Stevens	95
John A. Sweeny	1
Herbert L. Trull	293
Frank D. Walker	14
Blanks	152

County Treasurer, Middlesex County (To fill Vacancy)

William F. Drake	40
Charles P. Howard	243
John E. Howard	10
Frank M. Syrewicz	18
Blanks	67

Delegates to State Convention

H. Louis Farmer, Jr.	335
Mark Roper	279
Maude G. Griffin	257
Harris Briggs	2
Samuel Crown	1
Blanks	260

DEMOCRATIC PARTY

Governor

Paul A. Dever	83
Francis E. Kelly	42
Blanks	3

Lieutenant-Governor

John C. Carr	38
Owen A. Gallagher	16
Francis P. Kelley	29
Michael Phillip McCarron	35
Charles E. O'Neill	0
Raymond A. Willett, Jr.	1
Blanks	9

Secretary

Albert L. Fish	9
Katherine A. Foley	50
Arthur Michael MacCarthry	25
Albert E. Morris	24
Blanks	20

Treasurer

Ernest J. Brown	19
Patrick M. Cahill	37
Joseph W. Doherty	22
John J. Donahue	20
John J. McGrath	10
Blanks	20

Auditor

Thomas J. Buckley	53
Thomas P. Flaherty	25
William P. Husband, Jr.	16
Leo D. Walsh	15
Blanks	19

Attorney General

John H. Backus	10
James Henry Brennan	24
Thomas M. Burke	20
Joseph V. Carroll	11
Jeannette C. Chisholm	3
Joseph Finnegan	3
John W. Lyons	10
Edward A. Ryan	8
Harold W. Sullivan	26
Blanks	13

Senator in Congress

David I. Walsh	106
Blanks	22

Congressman, Fifth District

Francis J. Roane	90
Blanks	38

Councillor, Sixth District

James J. Brennan	41
Edward J. Coughlin	6
Walter McCarron	61
Thomas McGrath	3
Blanks	17

Senator, Seventh Middlesex District

William D. Dacey	95
Blanks	33

Representative in General Court, Nineteenth Middlesex District

Thomas F. Murphy	78
Guy G. Wilson	32
Blanks	18

Clerk of Courts, Middlesex County

J. Gordon Duffy	57
Martin Leo Vahey	39
Blanks	32

Register of Deeds, Middlesex Northern District

Daniel F. Moriarty	84
Arthur E. McGlinchey	29
Blanks	15

County Commissioners, Middlesex County

Thomas B. Brennan	64
Francis J. Kelley	78
Blanks	104

County Treasurer, Middlesex County (To fill vacancy.)

Raymond H. Hurley	103
Blanks	25

Delegates to State Convention

Winthrop Jones	1
L. K. Kelley	1
Edward Walsh	2
Louis Berube	6
Mary Berube	1
William McGowan	2
John Belton	3
Herbert Fairbrother	2
Blanks	138

A true record.

Attest:

H. LOUIS FARMER, JR.,

Town Clerk.

WARRANT FOR STATE ELECTION

Middlesex ss:

To either of the Constables in the Town of Tewksbury in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town affairs, to meet and assemble at the Town Hall in said Tewksbury,

ON TUESDAY, THE 5th DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1940
at ten o'clock A. M. to vote on the following Officers and Questions. The Polls will open from 10 A. M. until 8 P. M.

Presidential Electors, Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney General, Senator in Congress, Representative in Congress, Councillor, Senator, Representative in General Court (1), Clerk of Courts, Register of Deeds, County Commissioner (2).

VACANCY

In Middlesex County: A County Treasurer

QUESTIONS

To obtain a full expression of opinion, voters should vote on all 3 of the following questions:

(a) If a voter desires to permit the sale in this town of any and all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on and off the premises where sold, he will vote "Yes" on all three questions.

(b) If a voter desires to permit the sale herein of wines and malt beverages only to be drunk on and off the premises where sold, he will vote "No" on questions one and three, and "Yes" on question two.

(c) If he desires to permit the sale herein of all alcoholic beverages but only in packages, so called not to be drunk on the premises where sold, he will vote "No" on questions one and two, and "Yes" on three.

(d) If he desires to permit the sale herein of wines and malt beverages to be drunk on and off the premises where sold and in addition other alcoholic beverages but only in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises where sold, he will vote "No" on question one, and "Yes" on questions two and three.

(e) If he desires to prohibit the sale herein of any and all alcoholic beverages whether to be drunk on or off the premises where sold, he will vote "No" on all three questions.

In All Cities and Towns

1. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whiskey, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages?)

YES _____

NO _____

2. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages?)

YES _____

NO _____

3. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages so called, not to be drunk on the premises?

YES _____

NO _____

QUESTIONS OF PUBLIC POLICY UNDER GENERAL LAWS

In the following Senatorial District ————, 7th Middlesex

"Shall the Senator from this district be instructed for the establishment of a lottery to be conducted by the Commonwealth, the net proceeds of which shall provide additional revenue for the Old Age Assistance Fund?"

In the following Senatorial District ————, 7th Middlesex

"Shall the Senator from this district be instructed to vote for legislation providing for ten dollar weekly payments to each recipient of old age assistance?"

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices and leave one hundred copies for the use of the Citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, 8 days at least, and over two Sundays, before time of holding said Meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid:

Given under our hands this 23rd day of October, A. D. 1940

IRVING F. FRENCH,
BERNARD H. GREENE,
DUNCAN J. CAMERON,
Selectmen of Tewksbury.

A true copy.
Attest:

CYRIL L. BARKER,
Constable

Saturday, Oct. 26, 1940.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Middlesex ss: November 5, 1940

I have served the within warrant by posting up Attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and by leaving 100 copies for the use of the Citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, eight days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said meeting.

CYRIL L. BARKER,
Constable of Tewksbury.

A true copy.
Attest:

H. LOUIS FARMER, JR.,
Town Clerk.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts — Tewksbury Town Hall

Middlesex ss: — November 5, 1940

At a meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in State Elections held at the Town Hall this day the following business was transacted. Warrant was read by Irving F. French presiding officer, after which he presented the Town Clerk with a receipt for 2191 ballots. The following: William A. Smith, William H. McGowan, Jesse J. French, Arthur W. Wells, jr., Anna McPhillips, Jeremiah Houlihan, William I. Bailey and Thomas P. Sullivan were then sworn in as Tellers by the presiding officer. The polls opened at 10:00 A. M. Register showed 0000. Polls closed at 8:00 P. M. with register showing 1568 (register registered twice on one ballot on two different occasions on numbers 240 and 1103), check list showed 1566 voted and the number of ballots counted was 1566. Following is the results of the count:

ELECTORS OF PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT

Aiken and Orange, Socialist Labor Party	1
Babson and Moorman, Prohibition	0
Browder and Ford, Communist Party	1
Roosevelt and Wallace, Democratic	649
Thomas and Krueger, Socialist Party	7
Willkie and McNary, Republican	875
Blanks	33

Governor

Henning A. Blomen of Cambridge, Socialist Labor Party	2
Jeffrey W. Campbell of Boston, Socialist Party	8
Paul A. Dever of Cambridge, Democratic	658
Otis Archer Hood of Boston, Communist Party	1
E. Tallmadge Root of Somerville, Prohibition	1
Leverett Saltonstall of Newton, Republican	861
Blanks	35

Lieutenant-Governor

Horace T. Cahill of Braintree, Republican	901
Hugo DeGregory of Springfield, Communist Party	4
Owen A. Gallagher of Boston, Democratic	574
Walter S. Hutchins of Greenfield, Socialist Party	11
George L. McGlynn of Springfield, Socialist Labor Party	3
Guy S. Williams of Worcester, Prohibition	6
Blanks	67

Secretary

Frederick W. Cook of Somerville, Republican	951
Katherine A. Foley of Lawrence, Democratic	519
Thomas F. P. O'Dea of Boston, Communist Party	7
Modestino Torra of Boston, Socialist Labor Party	4
Peter Wartiainen, jr., of Fitchburg, Socialist Party	1

Treasurer

John J. Donahue of Somerville, Democratic	549
Henry Grossman of Worcester, Communist Party	3
Thomas Hamilton of Lynn, Prohibition	13
William E. Hurley of Boston, Republican	909
Malcolm T. Rowe of Lynn, Socialist Labor Party	0
Andrew Swenson of Greenfield, Socialist Party	15
Blanks	77

Auditor

Arthur R. Buckley of Boston, Communist Party	7
Thomas J. Buckley of Boston, Democratic	570
Charles J. Daniels of North Adams, Socialist Party	8
Bernard G. Kelly of Springfield, Socialist Labor Party	9
Harry W. Kimball of Needham, Prohibition	8
Russell A. Wood of Cambridge, Republican	874
Blanks	90

Attorney-General

James Henry Brennan of Boston, Democratic	541
Robert T. Bushnell of Newton, Republican	932
Joseph C. Figueriredo of New Bedford, Communist Party	3
Austin H. Fittz of Natick, Prohibition	3
Charles R. Hill of Brookline, Socialist Party	12
Fred E. Oelcher of Peabody, Socialist Labor Party	3
Blanks	72

Senator in Congress

Philip Frankfeld of Boston, Communist Party	0
Horace I. Hillis of Saugus, Socialist Labor Party	4
George Lyman Paine of Cambridge, Socialist Party	10
Henry Parkman, jr., of Boston, Republican	829
George L. Thompson of Randolph, Prohibition	8
David I. Walsh of Fitchburg, Democratic	652
Blanks	63

Congressman

Francis J. Roane of Lowell, Democratic 300
Edith Nourse Rogers of Lowell, Republican 1213
Blanks 53

Councillor

James J. Brennan of Somerville, Democratic 587
GAL. 14—TEWKSBURY
Eugene A. F. Burtnett of Somerville, Republican 871
Blanks 108

Senator

Arthur W. Coolidge of Reading, Republican 876
William D. Dacey of Lowell, Democratic 600
Blanks 90

Representative in General Court

Thomas F. Murphy of Billerica, Democratic 606
Sam G. Pillsbury of Dracut, Republican 864
Blanks 96

Clerk of Courts

J. Gordon Duffy of Cambridge, Democratic 562
Frederick L. Putnam of Melrose, Republican 906
Blanks 98

Register of Deeds

Wilfred J. Achin of Lowell, Republican 873
Daniel F. Moriarty of Lowell, Democratic 609
Blanks 84

County Commissioners

Nathaniel I. Bowditch of Framingham, Republican 773
Thomas B. Brennan of Medford, Democratic 439
Archibald R. Giroux of Lexington, Republican 625
Francis J. Kelley of Lowell, Democratic 522
Blanks 773

County Treasurer

Charles P. Howard of Reading, Republican 885
Raymond H. Hurley of Lowell, Democratic 592
Blanks 89

1. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whiskey, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?

Yes	758
No	560
Blanks	248

2. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?

Yes	724
No	525
Blanks	317

3. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises?

Yes	810
No	452
Blanks	304

Question of Public Policy

"Shall the Senator from this district be instructed to vote for legislation providing for ten dollar weekly payments to each recipient of old age assistance?"

Yes	991
No	194
Blanks	381

Question of Public Policy

"Shall the Senator from this district be instructed to vote for the establishment of a lottery to be conducted by the Commonwealth, the net proceeds of which shall provide additional revenue for the Old Age Assistance Fund?"

Yes	848
No	344
Blanks	374

A true record.

Attest:

H. LOUIS FARMER, JR.,
Town Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE
BOARD OF REGISTRARS

Tewksbury, Mass.

November 29, 1940

We hereby certify, this day, November twenty-ninth, Nineteen hundred and forty, we have recounted the votes cast at the State Election, held November 5, 1940 at the Town Hall, Tewksbury, Massachusetts, for the Office of Governor of the Commonwealth for a term of two years, and have found the following results.

Henning A. Blomen had	2	votes
Jeffrey W. Campbell had	8	"
Paul A. Dever had	659	"
Otis Archer Hood had	1	"
E. Tallmadge Root had	1	"
Leverett Saltonstall had	858	"
Blanks	37	"
Total	1566	"

Attest:

Herbert A. Fairbrother, Chairman
William H. Bennett
George J. McCoy
H. Louis Farmer, Jr., Clerk

A true copy.

Attest:

H. LOUIS FARMER, JR., Town Clerk.

WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Middlesex ss:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town affairs, to meet and assemble at the Town Hall in said Tewksbury

ON WEDNESDAY, THE 13th DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1940
at Eight o'clock P. M. to act on the following Articles:

ART. 1. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of $1,500. from the Surpus Overlays to the Welfare Dept., or take any other action relative to the same.

ART. 2. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of $1,000., the sum voted for investigation of the Welfare Dept. at the Annual Town Meeting, to the Welfare Dept., or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 3. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of $600. from the State and Military Aid Account to the Dept. of Old Age Assistance, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 4. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of $250. from the State and Military Aid Dept. to the Board of Health Account, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 5. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of $250. from the Tax Title Account voted under Article 11 at the Annual Town Meeting, to Board of Health Account, or take any other action relative to the same.

ART. 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen in the event the Transfer from Surplus Overlays already voted in Article One be not approved, to borrow under Chapter 72 of the Acts of 1939, the sum of $1,500. use of Welfare Dept., or to take any other action relative to same. Said loan to be paid out the Tax Levy of 1941.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and leave one hundred copies for the use of the Citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, 8 days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said Meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 29th day of October, A. D. 1940

IRVING F. FRENCH,
BERNARD H. GREENE,
DUNCAN J. CAMERON

Selectmen of Tewksbury.

A true copy.

Attest:

CYRIL L. BARKER, Constable.

Saturday, November 2, 1940.

Middlesex ss: Tewksbury, November 13, 1940

I have served the within warrant by posting up Attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and by leaving 100 copies for the use of the Citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, eight days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said meeting.

CYRIL L. BARKER,

Constable of Tewksbury.

A true copy.

Attest:

H. LOUIS FARMER, JR., Town Clerk.

November 13, 1940,

Tewksbury, Mass.

At a meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury held this day at 8 o'clock P. M., the following business was transacted:

Meeting called to order at 8 o'clock P. M. by the moderator, Melvin G. Rogers.

In the absence of the Town Clerk, one paper ballot was cast, and the Selectmen acted as tellers, electing Harry C. Dawson as Town Clerk Pro. Tem. He was then sworn in by the Moderator.

Meeting adjourned until 8:45 P. M. at which time it was again called to order by the moderator, and there being only seventeen citizens on the floor of the hall, whereas a quorum required over 81 to transact business, it was moved and passed that the meeting stand adjourned.

A true record attest.

HARRY C. DAWSON,

Town Clerk, Pro. Tem.

A true copy.

Attest:

H. LOUIS FARMER, JR., Town Clerk.

WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Middlesx ss:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town affairs, to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury,

ON THURSDAY, THE 12th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1940

at Seven-thirty o'clock P. M. to act on the following Articles:

ART. 1. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of $1,500. from the Surplus Overlays to the Welfare Dept., or take any other action relative to same.

ART. 2. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of $1000, the sum voted for investigation of the Welfare Dept. at the Annual Town Meeting, to the Welfare Dept., or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 3. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of $600 from the State and Military Aid Account to the Dept. of Old Age Assistance, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 4. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of $250 from the State and Military Aid Dept. to the Board of Health Account, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 5. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of $250 from the Tax Title Account voted under Article 11 at the Annual Town Meeting, to the Board of Health Account, or take any other action relative to same.

ART. 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen in the event the transfer from Surplus Overlays already voted in Article One be not approved, to borrow under Chapter 72 of the Acts of 1939, the sum of $1500, use of the Welfare Dept., or take any other action relative to same. Said loan to be paid out of the Tax Levy of 1941.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices and leave one hundred copies for the use of the Citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, 8 days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said Meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid:

Given under our hands this 29th day of November, A. D. 1940.

IRVING F. FRENCH,
BERNARD H. GREENE,
DUNCAN J. CAMERON,
Selectmen of Tewksbury.

A true copy.

ATTEST:

CYRIL L. BARKER, Constable

Saturday, November 30, 1940.

December 12, 1940.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,

Middlesex ss.

I have served the within warrant by posting up Attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and by leaving 100 copies for the use of the Citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, eight days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said meeting.

CYRIL L. BARKER,

Constable of Tewksbury.

A true copy.

ATTEST:

H. LOUIS FARMER, Jr., Town Clerk.

Town Hall, Tewksbury, Massachusetts, December 12, 1940

At a meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury held this day at 7:30 P. M. the following business was transacted:

Due to the lack of a necessary quorum the meeting was not called to order until 8:00 P. M. At 8:00 P. M. the meeting was called to order by moderator Melvin G. Rogers, check list was used and the necessary quorum (81) was found to be present.

The following business was transacted:—

ART. 1. Voted: To transfer the sum of $1,500.00 from the Surplus Overlays to the Welfare Department.

ART. 2. Voted: To transfer the sum of $1,000.00, the sum voted for the investigation of the Welfare Department at the Annual Town meeting, to the Welfare Department.

ART. 3. Voted: To transfer the sum of $600.00 from the State and Military Aid Account to the Department of Old Age Assistance.

ART. 4. Voted: To transfer the sum of $250.00 from the State and Military Aid Account to the Board of Health Account.

ART. 5. Voted: To transfer the sum of $250.00 from the Tax Title Account voted under Article 11 at the Annual Town Meeting, to the Board of Health Account.

ART. 6. Voted: To adopt the following Article, to be used in case the transfer voted under Article 1 be not approved by the State Director of Accounts. That the Board of Selectmen be authorized to borrow under Chapter 72 of the Acts of 1939, the sum of $1,500.00 for use of the Welfare Department. Said loan to be paid out of the Tax Levy of 1941.

Meeting adjourned at 8:07 P. M. o'clock.

A true record.

ATTEST:

H. LOUIS FARMER, Jr.

Town Clerk.

VITAL STATISTICS—1940

Births

Births recorded in the Town of Tewksbury

For the Year 1940

No.	Date of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Parents
1A	Jan. 2	———— ———— Larsen	Alfred and Katherine
2A	Jan. 24	———— ———— Mace	Walter and Catherine
3A	Jan. 25	———— ———— Patterson	Harry and Grace
4A	Feb. 3	Richard Allen Gath	William and Elsie
5A	Feb. 27	———— ———— Gagnon	Maurice and Patricia
6A	Mar. 5	Douglas Wilford Dixon	Lester and Frances
7A	Mar. 30	Nancy Louise Roberts	Walter and Elizabeth
1	May 1	Edward M. Joes	Manuel and Josephine
8A	May 10	David Robert Sherwood	Bernard and Bernice
2	Apr. 1	William Peter Haines	Everett and Elizabeth
9A	May 26	———— ———— Gray	George and Catherine
10A	June 8	———— ———— Allen	Robert and Helen
11A	June 11	———— ———— Flaherty	Frederick and Virginia
12A	July 14	David Denis Theriault	Antoine and Dorothy
13A	July 21	Marilyn Emelia Small	Lewis and Zita
14A	July 25	———— ———— Young	Thomas and Margaret
15A	July 25	Roland Albert Bourdon	Roland and Antoinette
16A	Sept. 17	Stasia Helen Kohanski	Walter and Helen
3	Aug. 6	Judith Ann Gath	George and Mabel
17A	June 9	———— Thomas Cooney	Bert and Marguerite
18A	June 21	Richard Kerry Treadwell	Albert and Dorothy
19A	Aug. 27	———— ———— Brooks	William and Mary
20A	Sept. 1	Mary Elaine Cuipa	Theodore and Genevieve
21A	Sept. 14	Pauline Lydianna Hunt	Harold and Lydianna
22A	Sept. 18	———— ———— Bernat	Walter and Josephine
23A	Oct. 1	———— ———— Carter	John and Margaret
4	July 27	Beverly Jean Fisher	Fletcher and Marguerite
5	Oct. 27	Margaret Marie Stevenson	George and Esther
24A	Nov. 2	———— ———— Liakos	James and Constance
25A	Nov. 4	———— ———— O'Neill	Richard and Loretta
6	Nov. 5	Elizabeth Mary McCarthy	John and Mary
26A	Nov. 6	Albert John Mercier	George and Inez
27A	Dec. 1	———— ———— Hague	Gardner and Edna
28A	Dec. 2	———— ———— Baker	Joseph and Ethel
7	Dec. 8	Rose Marie Elizabeth DeCarolis	Amando and Veneranda
29A	Dec. 10	———— ———— Zygelis	Anthony and Jennie

Marriages Recorded in the Town of Tewksbury

For the Year 1940

No.	Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
1	Jan. 9	Ray E. Parkhurst	Lowell, Mass.
		Olive E. Bolton	Tewksbury, Mass.
2	Jan. 27	Everett Guy Hood	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Mildred Klier	Tewksbury, Mass.
3	Feb. 10	Philo R. Dewing	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Mabel Louise Stacey	Lowell, Mass.
4	Jan. 6	Roland E. Lafreniere	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Florence Turcotte	Lowell, Mass.
5	Feb. 13	Alphonse Roger Drane	Mt. Pleasant, Tenn.
		Margaret Rita Sullivan	Lowell, Mass.
6	Mar. 12	Stanley Woolaver	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Mina (Archer) Wenzell	Tewksbury, Mass.
7	Mar. 17	Frederick Miles Record	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Gladys Keyes	Gloucester, Mass.
8	Apr. 5	Roland Monroe Fuller	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Eileen Alice Sawyer	Tewksbury, Mass.
9	Apr. 14	E. James O'Donoghue	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Yrsula C. Sharkey	Tewksbury, Mass.
10	Feb. 22	Louis Nathaniel Stern	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Dorothy Lucille Rodman	Boston, Mass.
11	Apr. 17	Francis Earl Humphrey	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Elizabeth Cork	Tewksbury, Mass.
12	Apr. 21	Joseph J. Mackey	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Rita C. Silck	Winthrop, Mass.
13	May 4	Anthony Pongonis	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Sarah Yawman	Boston, Mass.
14	May 4	William Paquette	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Jeanette Chenard	Lowell, Mass.
15	May 5	Edgar Olaf Larson	Lowell, Mass.
		Marie Fanchon Mullen	Tewksbury, Mass.
16	May 18	Leonard M. Gath	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Lillian M. Greene	Lowell, Mass.
17	June 8	William Davies	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Sophie Plachna	Dracut, Mass.
18	June 15	George Franklin May	Lawrence, Mass.
		Louise Francis McFadden	Lowell, Mass.
19	June 16	Herbert Melvin Johnson	Billerica, Mass.
		Eleanor Mary Prescott	Tewksbury, Mass.

No.	Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
20	June 20	John G. Clark	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Beth Page Pendleton	Waterville, Me.
21	June 22	Edwin Bentley Thomas	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Ida Josephine Luniewicz	Fitchburg, Mass.
22	June 28	Cornelius Van Ness Wood	Yonkers, New York
		Dorothy Esther Fuller	Tewksbury, Mass.
23	June 30	Floyd Kenneth Darby	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Maude Elizabeth Dick	Lawrence, Mass.
24	July 4	Francis Roland Vogt	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Elizabeth Mary McGrath	Woburn, Mass.
25	July 6	Dalbert E. Kent	Rowley, Mass.
		Rosalie M. Gallant	Tewksbury, Mass.
26	July 13	Thomas Francis Kelly	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Edith Louise (Large) Kelly	Arlington, Mass.
27	July 20	Frederick F. Cathcart	Lowell, Mass.
		Dorothy Eleanor Bolton	Tewksbury, Mass.
28	July 28	Walter James Flynn	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Cecelia Catherine Farrell	Tewksbury, Mass.
29	July 29	Harry Porter Wiley Jr.	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Catherine Agnes Dwyer	Lowell, Mass.
30	Aug. 10	Everett Howard King Jr.	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Barabra Alexander	Tewksbury, Mass.
31	Aug. 11	Charles W. Holzwarth	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Dorothy N. Clarke	Tewksbury, Mass.
32	Aug. 24	Donald R. Hunter	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Phyllis M. Chandler	Tewksbury, Mass.
33	Aug. 24	Stephen E. Whicher	Amherst, Mass.
		Elizabeth Trickey	Tewksbury, Mass.
34	Sept. 7	Howard Hill Leighton	Lowell, Mass.
		Rebecca Elizabeth Seekins	Tewksbury, Mass.
35	Sept. 14	Edward F. McCann	Somerville, Mass.
		Anna Marie McKay	Tewksbury, Mass.
36	Sept. 15	Francis M. Keane	Dorchester, Mass.
		Helen A. Hughes	Tewksbury, Mass.
37	Sept. 15	Joseph Ismail Henri Chauinard	Andover, Mass.
		Mary E. Mottram	Tewksbury, Mass.
38	Sept. 21	John Regan	Wilmington, Mass.
		Catherine Flynn	Wilmington, Mass.
39	Sept. 22	George Parker	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Mildred Lechinsky	Lowell, Mass.
40	Sept. 22	Manuel S. Pimental	Lowell, Mass.
		Eleanor Smith	Tewksbury, Mass.
41	Sept. 22	Bruno Cisluycis	Staten Island, N. Y.
		Anita Rosalie Beaulieu	Methuen, Mass.

No.	Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
42	Sept. 29	John Sidney Rumson	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Hilma Ruth White	Chelsea, Mass.
43	Oct. 12	John Charles Maselunas	Andover, Mass.
		Ann Helen Gelinas	Tewksbury, Mass.
44	Oct. 1	Allan Cleveland Milnes	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Edna Margaret Seamans	Tewksbury, Mass.
45	Oct. 19	Thomas Duncan Ray	Woburn, Mass.
		Elsie Caroline Burgess	Tewksbury, Mass.
46	Oct. 19	Arthur W. Bradbury	Bourne, Mass.
		Pauline E. Thoresen	Weston, Mass.
47	Oct. 20	Joseph W. Byron	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Agnes Marie Hurley	Somerville, Mass.
48	Oct. 27	James H. Seamans	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Gertrude J. Richards	Wilmington, Mass.
49	Nov. 8	Henry Louis Farmer Jr.	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Audrey Cameron	Tewksbury, Mass.
50	Oct. 25	Evan Liakos	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Marguerite M. Thompson	Dorchester, Mass.
51	Nov. 10	Arthur O'Connell	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Anna S. Haas	Tewksbury, Mass.
52	Nov. 11	Anthony J. Arsenault	Chelsea, Mass.
		Emily C. DeWolf	Tewksbury, Mass.
53	Nov. 18	Alphonse Damore	Tewksbury, Mass.
		May E. O'Donnell	Tewksbury, Mass.
54	Nov. 23	John Stephen Welch	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Adele Elizabeth Allbee	Tewksbury, Mass.
55	Nov. 28	Victor James Babel	Norwood, Mass.
		Amelia Rita Kaseta	Tewksbury, Mass.
56	Nov. 28	Howard Chandler Whitten	Methuen, Mass.
		Larraine Marie Aubut	Tewksbury, Mass.
57	Dec. 24	Stephen Leroy Nickles	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Doris Alma Pease	Greenfield, Mass.

Deaths Recorded in the Town of Tewksbury

For the Year 1940

No.	Date of Death	Name	yrs.	months	days
1	Jan. 2	Mary J. Maloney	69	—	—
1A	Jan. 13	Benjamin Stilmack	61	—	—
2A	Jan. 22	Louis Lafreniere	81	3	10
2	Feb. 25	Jeremiah Keohane	68	—	—
3	Mar. 2	Nina Archer	80	—	—
3A	Feb. 23	Joseph Ouellette	79	—	—
4	Jan. 1	Arthur Howard Lucia	53	8	7
5	Feb. 4	Michael Brady	74	—	—
6	Feb. 25	Ethel M. Mills	33	—	—
7	Mar. 1	John Paradis	71	2	27
4A	Mar. 2	Gabriel Hollanda	75	—	—
5A	Mar. 31	Peter Morin	53	—	—
8	May 5	Mary A. Robicheau	83	—	—
9	May 5	Godfrey Daniel Goss	83	6	11
10	May 6	Francis P. Toland	48	—	—
11	June 4	Agnes Mildrum	73	—	—
6A	June 4	James W. Gould	81	—	—
7A	June 12	Patrick J. McTeague	74	—	—
12	June 21	Michael Thomas Carroll	79	4	13
13	July 10	Georgene Snow Smith	93	1	4
14	July 16	Wilbur Kenneth Foss	34	—	30
15	July 30	Francis Eric Kling	45	—	—
8A	Mar. 3	Helen Vincent	67	10	6
16	Aug. 23	Wilfred Chalut	56	—	—
17	Aug. 23	Arthur T. Curtin	27	—	—
18	Aug. 23	Margaret Curtin	22	—	—
19	Sept. 4	Annie Reynolds	74	—	—
20	Sept. 6	Minnie T. O'Connor	47	—	—
9A	June 7	Anthony Petraitis	51	—	—
10A	July 11	Mary Frances Dunn	65	6	18
21	Sept. 13	Elmer Henry Shattuck	75	—	—
11A	Sept. 23	James J. Connors O. M. I.	43	—	—
12A	July 26	Alberta Blue	8	—	—
13A	Oct. 26	William Henry Dormon	94	3	28
14A	Oct. 31	Henry Ashley	63	1	10
15A	Nov. 9	Karl Randolph Trott, Jr.	15	8	25
16A	Nov. 11	Mary Jane (Thompson) Rutherford	74	—	—
17A	Nov. 12	Laura Davis	85	—	—
22	Nov. 24	Flavie Ouellette	73	—	—

No.	Date of Death	Name	yrs.	months	days
18A	Nov. 22	Florie Gagnon	95	5	14
19A	Nov. 24	Malcolm Patrick	57	4	1
20A	Nov. 27	Karan Anderson	3	2	29
23	Dec. 11	Margaret C. Rull	80	—	--
21A	Dec. 18	Ellen McGowan Jones	78	—	--

RECAPITULATION

Births		36
a. Males	21	
b. Females	15	
Marriages		57
Deaths		44
a. Males	25	
b. Females	19	

THE TOWN CLERK HEREBY GIVES NOTICE THAT HE IS PREPARED TO FURNISH PARENTS, HOUSEHOLDERS, PHYSICIANS AND MIDWIVES, APPLYING THEREFOR, BLANKS FOR THE RETURN OF BIRTHS AS REQUIRED BY LAW.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Received and paid to the Town Treasurer for Licenses, Permits, Fees, etc., Two Thousand, six hundred and ninety-seven dollars and ninety-eight cents. ($2,697.98)

Received and paid to the Town Treasurer for Dog Licenses, Seven hundred and ninety-three dollars. ($793.00)

Received and paid to the Division of Fisheries and Game for Licenses, Three hundred and thirty-six dollars. ($336.00)

This makes a total of Three Thousand, eight hundred and twenty-six dollars and ninety-eight cents. ($3,826.98)

Attest:

H. LOUIS FARMER, Jr.,

Town Clerk.

March 1, 1940.

To the Board of Selectmen,

Mr. Irving F. French, Chairman,

Tewksbury, Massachusetts.

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report of an audit of the books and accounts of the Town of Tewksbury for the period from July 12, 1938 to December 4, 1939, made in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44, General Laws. This is in the form of a report made to me by Mr. Herman B. Dine, Assistant Director of Accounts.

Very truly yours,

THEODORE N. WADDELL,

Director of Accounts.

Mr. Theodore N. Waddell,

Director of Accounts,

Department of Corporations and Taxation.

State House, Boston.

Sir:

In accordance with your instructions, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the Town of Tewksbury for the period from July 12, 1938, the date of the previous audit, to December 4, 1939, and report thereon as follows:

The financial transactions, as recorded on the books of the several departments receiving or disbursing money for the town or committing bills for collection, were examined and checked.

The inadequate methods used at present in keeping the accounts of the town are worthy of consideration on the part of the citizens. Under the present method of accounting it is impossible for the selectmen to know the financial condition of the town. The board of selectmen is, in reality, the director of the municipal corporation, and should have at its service books and records which will furnish complete information as to the finances of the town, in order that it may be enabled to plan the work most essential to be done with the means at hand.

I do not believe in, nor do I recommend, a complicated set of books for towns; nevertheless, there should be kept in a single department certain general accounting records which show the assets and liabilities, the appropriations made and the charges against them, as well as a detail of all receipts and payments. These accounts, if kept up to date at all times, will enable the taxpayer to see at a glance the source from which revenue is received and the purposes for which payments are made, as well as the financial condition of the town.

The appropriation accounts as kept by the town auditor were analyzed and checked with the duplicate accounts kept by the treasurer, general ledger accounts were compiled, and a balance sheet, showing the financial condition of the town on December 4, 1939, was prepared and is appended to this report.

The balance sheet indicates that several accounts were overdrawn on December 4, 1939, contrary to Section 31, Chapter 44, General Laws.

In connection with the overdrafts in the Chapter 81 and 90 highway accounts, attention is called to the fact that expenditures for highway projects carried on by the town in conjunction with the State and County may not exceed the aggregate amount of the appropriations voted by the town, together with the amounts actually received on account of allotments. Whenever the reimbursements from the State and County are not received in time to provide funds for payment of pay-rolls and materials, temporary loans under the provisions of Section 6A, Chapter 44, General Laws, may be issued by the treasurer.

The books and accounts of the town treasurer were examined and checked in detail. The recorded receipts were analyzed and verified by a comparison with the records of the several departments collecting money for the town and with other sources from which money was paid into the town treasury, while the recorded payments were checked with the approved bills and pay-rolls on file and with the town auditor's records.

The cash balance on December 4, 1939, was verified by actual count of the cash in the office and by a reconciliation of the bank balance with a statement received from the bank of deposit.

The savings bank books representing the investment of the trust and investment funds in the custody of the town treasurer were examined and listed, the income and withdrawals being verified.

The payments on account of maturing debt and interest were checked with the amounts falling due and with the cancelled securities and coupons on file.

The tax titles held by the town were listed from the records of the town treasurer and all transactions pertaining thereto were verified.

The books and accounts of the collector of taxes were examined and checked. The tax accounts outstanding at the time of the previous examination were audited, and all subsequent commitments were verified by a comparison with the warrants issued by the board of assessors for their collection. The recorded collections were checked with the commitment books, the abatements were checked with the assessors' record of abatements granted, the payments to the treasurer were verified, and the outstanding accounts were listed and proved.

Since the date of the previous audit, further proofs of payment have increased the shortage of the former collector to the amount of $169.22, which should be provided for.

Verification of the outstanding accounts was obtained by mailing notices to a number of persons whose accounts showed as unpaid on the books, and from the replies received thereto, it appears that the accounts, as listed, are correct.

The record of receipts of the town clerk on account of dog, sporting, and town licenses issued was examined and checked, the payments to the treasurer and to the Division of Fisheries and Game being verified.

An examination was also made of the books and accounts of the sealer of weights and measures. The field books were checked with the office record of receipts on account of sealing and adjusting weights and measures, the cash book was footed throughout, and the payments to the treasurer were verified.

The financial records of the public welfare department were examined and checked. The record of charges was analyzed, the payments to the treasurer were verified, the disallowances were checked, and the outstanding accounts were listed and proved.

In addition to the departments and accounts mentioned, the available records of all other departments receiving money for the town were checked and the payments to the treasurer were verified.

The surety bonds furnished by the several officials for the faithful performance of their duties were examined and found to be in proper form.

In addition to the balance sheet, there are appended to this report tables showing a reconciliation of the treasurer's, collector's, and town clerk's cash, summaries of the tax and departmental accounts, together with tables showing the transactions and condition of the trust and investment funds.

During the progress of the audit cooperation was received from the several officials for which, in behalf of my assistants and for myself, I wish to express appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN B. DINE,

Assistant Director of Accounts.

TOWN OF TEWKSBURY -- BALANCE SHEET -- DECEMBER 4, 1939

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

ASSETS

Cash:		
In Banks and Office—General	$ 30,833.90	
Alice A. Pike, Former Collector	6.63	
Discrepancy Robert W. Barron, Former Collector	169.22	
		$ 31,009.75
Accounts Receivable:		
Taxes:		
Property 1931	$ 8.40	
Property 1932	6.65	
Property 1933	7.44	
Poll 1934	84.50	
Poll 1935	104.00	
Poll 1936	152.00	
Property 1936	221.78	
Poll 1937	224.00	
Property 1937	3,201.93	
Poll 1938	510.00	
Property 1938	16,611.48	
Poll 1939	772.00	
Property 1939	37,079.33	
		$ 58,983.51

LIABILITIES and RESERVES

Temporary Loans:		
In Anticipation of Revenue 1938	$ 20,000.00	
In Anticipation of Revenue 1939	30,000.00	
		$ 50,000.00
Overestimates 1939:		
State Parks and Reservations Tax		32.53
Tax Title Possession Sales Surplus		137.03
Federal Grants:		
Old Age Assistance, Assistance	$ 1,479.23	
Old Age Assistance, Administration	6.18	
Aid to Dependent Children, Aid	83.21	
Aid to Dependent Children, Administration	13.10	
		$ 1,581.72
Unexpended Appropriation Balances		25,009.00
Reserve Fund—Overlay Surplus		2,584.74

Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes:		
Levy of 1934	$ 195.17	
Levy of 1935	253.06	
Lev yof 1936	428.74	
Levy of 1937	552.97	
Levy of 1938	235.99	
Levy of 1939	593.53	
		$ 2,259.46
Special Assessments:		
Moth 1931		10.56
Tax Titles		13,085.13
Tax Title Possessions		4,525.13
Departmental:		
Public Welfare:		
Outside Relief	$ 3,001.26	
Aid to Dependent Children	1,545.00	
Old Age Assistance	694.43	
		$ 5,240.69
State and County Aid to Highways:		
1938	$ 1,486.88	
1939	4,997.45	
		$ 6,484.33
Due from Trust Funds:		
Foster Fund	$ 12.70	
Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	8.25	
		$ 20.95

Overlays Reserved for Abatement of Taxes:		
Levy of 1933	$ 7.44	
Levy of 1936	221.78	
Levy of 1937	637.65	
Levy of 1938	1,112.92	
Levy of 1939	1,781.41	
		$ 3,761.20
Revenue Reserved Until Collected:		
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax	$ 2,259.46	
Special Assessment	10.56	
Tax Title	17,610.26	
Departmental	5,240.69	
State and County Aid to Highways	6,484.33	
		$ 31,605.30
Surplus Revenue		18,440.48

Overdrawn Accounts:			
Highways — Chapter 81	$ 696.11		
Highways — Chapter 90, Maintenance	3,722.85		
Pleasant Street Construction, Chapter 90	1,486.88		
Public Welfare	1,999.91		
		$ 7,905.75	
Deficits to be Raised:			
Revenue 1938	$ 500.00		
Overlay 1932	7.80		
Abatement, Old Age Assistance Taxes 1933	2.00		
		$ 509.80	
Estimated Receipts—to be Collected		3,116.94	
		$133,152.00	$133,152.00

DEBT ACCOUNTS

Net Funded or Fixed Debt	$ 43,000.00	High School Construction Loan	$ 43,000.00

TRUST AND INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS

		Foster School Fund	$ 1,131.04
		Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	1,674.31
Trust and Investment Funds:			
Cash and Securities:			
In Custody of Town Treasurer	$ 17,646.70	Municipal Building Insurance Fund	14,841.35
	$ 17,646.70		$ 17,646.70

AUDITOR'S REPORT

HIGHWAYS

General

Appropriation	$ 16,000.00	
Balance of Hurricane Fund by Vote of Town	1,058.00	
	$ 17,058.00	$ 7,608.00
Less amount credited to Chapter 81	$ 9,450.00	

	Expenditures
Daniel Sterling, Superintendent	$ 436.25
Thomas Manley, Chauffeur	301.75
Frank Goodwin, Chauffeur	302.00
James Bancroft, Chauffeur	246.25
Homer Darby, Laborer	267.75
Roland Robinson, Laborer	299.50
Jeremiah Houlihan, Laborer	175.75
Charles Bowden, Chauffeur	320.25
Richard O'Neill, Chauffeur	281.25
Alton Parker, Laborer	265.88
Joseph Aubut, Laborer	238.28
Edward Penney, Laborer	213.21
William Penney, Laborer	220.34
George Gale, Laborer	212.75
Francis Brown, Laborer	240.12
Winthrop Jones, Laborer	237.13
Joseph Cisluysis, Laborer	242.65
Nelson Brown, Laborer	257.83
George Manley, Laborer	24.50
Harry Patterson, Jr., Laborer	6.00
Thomas Sullivan, Laborer	5.50
Bronslaw Kohanski, Mason	3.00
G. C. Prince & Son, diary	2.75
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	119.43
Mildred Sawyer, clerical work	107.10
Jacob Halpersohn, gravel	439.51
John Belton, sand	33.20
Russell Lumber Co., lumber	55.32
Explosive Supply Co., dynamite	12.00
Dana F. Perkins, making surveys and staking out lines	115.00

William B. Wiggin, supplies	25.00	
Rand Signs, street signs repainted	3.00	
Wilder Grain Co., cement	26.80	
Balfe Service Co., printing reports, letterheads, etc.	31.00	
A. G. Pollard Co., bunting	1.17	
Lynch Wall Paper Co., safety zone paint	26.25	
Currier's Express, trucking	.35	
Mathias-Hart Co., rubber boots	9.80	
State Prison Colony, white line machine	75.00	
State Prison Colony, road signs, posts, grates and frames	1,095.24	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., concrete	19.66	
New England Concrete Pipe Corp., sewer pipe	143.47	
Osterman Coal Co., coke	13.25	
Daniel T. Sullivan, cement and brick	82.50	
Registry of Motor Vehicles, registration of tractor and trucks	14.00	
North Tewksbury Garage, labor and parts	79.90	
Arthur Tremblay, glass	.97	
Ralph's Used Auto Parts Co., glass installed in truck	5.00	
Mack Motor Truck Co., parts	15.86	
P .I. Perkins Co., used blade snow plow and parts	182.76	
Haverhill-Lawrence Transportation Co., Inc., freight	.75	
Traders & Mechanics Insurance Co., insurance policies	60.05	
Lowell Gas Light Co., coke	13.97	$ 7,608.00

CHAPTER 81

Allotment from General Highways	$ 9,450.00	
Allotment by State	9,450.00	
	$ 18,900.00	
Less amount credited to Highway Mach. Fund	$ 3,077.26	$ 15,822.74

Expenditures

Daniel Sterling, Superintendent	$ 810.00
Thomas Manley, Chauffeur	591.00
Frank Goodwin, Chauffeur	608.50
James Bancroft, Chauffeur	575.75
Homer Darby, Laborer	458.75
Roland Robinson, Laborer	549.50
Jeremiah Houlihan, Laborer	443.75

Richard O'Neill, Chauffeur	411.50	
Alton Parker, Laborer	481.16	
Joseph Aubut, Laborer	549.70	
Edward Penney, Laborer	532.91	
William Penney, Laborer	548.09	
George Gale, Laborer	502.32	
Francis Brown, Laborer	521.87	
Winthrop Jones, Laborer	509.91	
Joseph Cisluysis, Laborer	486.68	
Nelson Brown, Laborer	511.75	
Emanuel Martin, Laborer	26.60	
Charles Bowden, Chauffeur	554.50	
Forrest Foster, Laborer	4.00	
Elmer Olson, Laborer	4.00	
Robert Barron, gravel	141.59	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., road oil	4,927.83	
John Belton, sand	125.60	
The Barrett Co., tarvia	930.56	
Jacob Halpersohn, gravel	14.92	$ 15,822.74

Highway Machinery Fund

Appropriation	$ 1,027.23	
Credited from Chapter 81 Pay Rolls	3,077.26	
Credited from Chapter 90 Pay Rolls	924.01	$ 5,028.50

Expenditures

Chelmsford Center Chevrolet Co., payments on on truck	$ 900.00
Chelmsford Center Chevrolet Co., parts and supplies	60.15
Cities Service Oil Co., gasoline	1,402.60
Colonial Beacon Oil Co., supplies and parts	455.03
Lowell Co-Operative Bank, storage of trucks	204.00
North Tewksbury Garage, labor and parts	720.80
Lowell Iron & Steel Co., parts	7.53
Clark-Wilcox Co., labor and parts for plow	234.14
Freddie's General Store, gasoline	6.90
Towers Motor Parts Corp., parts and supplies	154.35
Donohoe Tire Co., Inc., tire, tubes, etc.	10.43
Rusty's Service Station, gasoline and oil	7.75
Town Line Garage, gasoline and oil	2.69
Edgar Hinton, gasoline	2.40
Oscar's Welding Shop, welding	6.00
Dyar Sales & Machinery Co., parts	190.40
Scannell Boiler Works, snow plow shoes	10.55

Osterman Coal Co., coke	54.00	
M. A. Lucia, gasoline	4.80	
Golen's Garage, labor and parts	2.65	
P. J. Perkins Co., snow plow shoes	26.35	
Arthur Tremblay, gasoline and supplies	4.28	
John G. McLellan, range oil	20.03	
Bulley's Filling Station, gasoline, grease and fittings	2.30	
John C. Bennett, supplies	23.02	
Webster-Thomas Co., tires and tubes	141.46	
The Buffalo-Springfield Roller Co., parts and supplies	57.03	
Acme Fence Co., hardware	7.80	
J. P. Falardeau, sharpening tools	39.10	
Henry P. Foley, shovels and brushes	50.27	
Bartlett & Dow Co., supplies	3.95	
Middlesex Supply Co., supplies	7.89	
George Lawson, oil carrier	1.00	
Bill Moss Esso Station, battery	9.55	
The Fairgrieve Belting Co., Inc., cement	1.90	
Ralph's Used Auto & Parts Co., glass installed in truck	2.50	
		$ 4,835.60
Unexpended		$ 192.90

Chapter 90—Maintenance

Appropriation	$ 2,500.00	
First Allotment by State	2,000.00	
First Allotment by County	2,000.00	
Second Allotment by State	500.00	
Second Allotment by County	500.00	
		$ 7,500.00
Less Amount Credited to Highway Machinery Fund		924.01
		$ 6,575.99

Expenditures

Daniel Sterling, Superintendent	$ 351.00
James Bancroft, Chauffeur	208.75
Charles Bowden, Chauffeur	244.50
Richard O'Neill, Chauffeur	154.75
Homer Darby, Laborer	169.50
Roland Robinson, Laborer	229.75
Alton Parker, Laborer	201.71
George Gale, Laborer	192.28

Francis Brown, Laborer	175.26	
Winthrop Jones, Laborer	212.52	
Joseph Cisluysis, Laborer	228.85	
Frank Goodwin, Chauffeur	213.00	
Nelson Brown, Laborer	195.96	
Thomas Manley, Chauffeur	205.25	
Jeremiah Houlihan, Laborer	148.50	
Joseph Aubut, Laborer	195.96	
Edward Penney, Laborer	166.98	
William Penney, Laborer	170.20	
Emanuel Martin, Mason	62.23	
Lauchie McPhail, Police Officer	9.00	
Daniel Sheehan, Police Officer	9.00	
The Barrett Co., tarvia	1,217.49	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., road oil	667.54	
John Brady, gravel	287.46	
General Crushed Stone Co., crushed stone	291.84	
Winchester Brick Co., cement and brick	24.00	
John Belton, sand	23.80	
New England Concrete Pipe Corp., sewer pipe	311.64	
Jacob Halpersohn, gravel	7.27	$ 6,575.99

SCHOOLS

Appropriation ..... $ 59,919.00

Expenditures

Teachers

Margaret Mercier	$ 729.12
Alice Sturtevant	320.00
Angelina Carabello	319.92
Whitman Pearson, Principal	2,374.96
Donald McSheehy	1,122.28
Lawrence McGowan	1,519.96
Roland Bourdon	1,234.96
Evelyn Dutton	1,329.92
Kathryn Chandler	1,329.92
Marjorie Scoboria	1,329.92
Catherine Maguire	1,315.92
Phyllis Moran	1,140.00
Elizabeth Mulry	720.00
Taffee Shaheen	85.00
Ethelyn Howard, Principal	1,583.96
Dorothy Ward	903.85
Elizabeth Flynn	1,200.00
Marion Piper	1,143.00

Doris Blake	1,108.14	
Virginia Cunningham	918.10	
Mildred Rollo	908.60	
Winifred Colbath	918.10	
Mary Katherina	823.14	
Elizabeth Hill	965.64	
Alberta Ringer	870.64	
Hazel Lambert	604.78	
Elizabeth Reynolds	913.10	
Eva Hersey	1,140.00	
Bernice Lyness	604.78	
Ruth Lyons	918.10	
Mary E. Garland	156.00	
Paul McLaughlin	15.00	
Elizabeth Fenton	20.00	
Ruth Rood	45.00	
Doris Groesbeck	376.00	
Margaret Hedstrom	282.00	
Dorothy Ogston	266.32	
Dorothy McQuillan	5.00	
Rena Theberge	8.00	
		$ 31,569.13

Fuel and Janitor

First National Stores, Inc., janitor's supplies	$ 8.83	
Lowell Gas Light Co., gas	89.55	
Workshop for the Blind, mops	6.75	
Wilmington Coal Co., coal	1,901.30	
State Prison Colony, polishing cloth	34.09	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	1,020.60	
William M. Horner, janitor's supplies	92.80	
Harry Wiley, Janitor	1,300.00	
Walter Lavelle, Janitor	1,612.00	
William Leighton, Janitor	1,040.00	
Irving Bailey, Janitor	672.00	
Jesse J. French, wood	40.00	
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	28.86	
Osterman Coal Co., stoker parts and labor	20.75	
A. G. Pollard Co., supplies	2.25	
John G. MacLellan, range oil	9.70	
Mrs. Bridget Tansey, cleaning at Foster School	2.00	
Freddie's General Store, oil	1.00	
E. Brownstein, cleaning supplies	3.20	$ 7,885.68

Transportation

Omer Blanchard, driving bus	$ 1,920.00	
Anthony Furtado, driving bus	1,920.00	
Fred H. Garlick, driving bus	1,920.00	
Eastern Mass. Street Ry. Co., transportation of pupils	2,800.00	$ 8,560.00

Supervision

Stephen G. Bean		$ 877.56

Books and Supplies

Gledhill Bros., Inc., supplies	$ 70.54
Lowell Iron & Steel Co., irons for manual training	7.22
The Boston Music Co., music	55.79
Central Scientific Co., chemical supplies	29.75
Houghton Mifflin Co., books	24.06
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	44.27
Wright & Potter Printing Co., blanks	14.77
F. J. Flemings Est., paper supplies	201.75
The Macmillan Co., books	101.85
Milton Bradley Co., supplies	139.22
Russell Lumber Co., lumber	100.05
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies	714.63
Silver Burdett Co., music	133.59
Henry Wolkins Co., pencils	89.34
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc., books and supplies	411.47
Ginn & Co., books and supplies	135.96
The American Book Co., books	76.01
The Bon Marche Co., supplies	2.67
Harold Flammer, music	2.25
Boasen, Hawkes, Belwin, Inc., music	2.81
Maude B. Gray, subscriptions	35.55
The F. B. Wood Music Co., music	1.45
Carl Fischer, Inc., music	5.65
Bartlett & Dow Co., hardware	18.08
Denoyer-Geppert Co., wall maps	5.54
A. G. Pollard Co., supplies	15.21
D. F. Beal, dental supplies	10.36
South-Western Publishing Co., supplies	.57
Fred Howard, supplies	2.10
Sanascent Co., supplies	10.78
Windsor Pad & Paper Co., Inc., books and paper	38.59
R. M. Beuttel, seating plans	4.32
The Thompson Hardware Co., supplies	1.71

Reformatory for Women, flags	14.24	
World Book Co., tests	18.40	
Frontier Press Co. of Boston, book	4.06	
International Text Book Co., book	1.07	
The John C. Winston Co., books	5.29	
Hall & McCreary Co., books	12.15	
Laidlaw Bros., books	3.01	
Longmans, Green & Co., Inc., books	5.29	
D. C. Heath & Co., books	81.63	
Allyn & Bacon, books	60.73	
Scott, Foresman & Co., books	93.91	
The Arlo Publishing Co., books	14.04	
Benjamin H. Sanborn & Co., supplies	1.42	
McGraw-Hill Book Co., Inc., books	26.94	
The Gregg Publishing Co., books	3.41	
John Wiley & Sons, books	8.52	
The Champion Publishing Co., books	10.59	
Hagen's Handicraft Supplies, supplies	4.58	
Pratt & Forrest Co., lumber	3.45	
Center Shaft Penholder Co., penholders	9.47	
A. F. French & Co., supplies	8.50	
R. W. Wagner Co., dictionary	29.50	
American Education Press Co., books	1.75	$ 2,929.86

School Houses

W. L. Farwell, labor and pipe	$ 180.36	
Louis Marion, labor	44.00	
The Thompson Hardware Co., supplies	32.03	
Town of Middleton, desks and chairs	42.00	
The Robertson Co., Inc., supplies	27.96	
Bartlett & Dow Co., hardware, glass, etc.	173.19	
Lyon Metal Products, Inc., balance due on lockers	56.27	
Mack Courser, labor	184.45	
C. H. Hobson & Son, radiators, fittings and labor	66.33	
Osterman Coal Co., installing stoker and plates	119.00	
Joseph M. O'Brion, radiators installed	150.00	
Bennett Bros., pump switch and servicing	6.70	
Cote Electric Co., repairs	12.70	
C. B. Coburn Co., paint, etc.	2.65	
Derby Electric Motors Co., supplies and repairs	69.43	
Middlesex Co. House of Correction, mats	2.38	
Luhl & Hartford, repairs, locks and keys	.70	
Wadsworth, Howland & Co., paint	15.40	
Middlesex Supply Co., supplies	99.00	
Pratt & Forrest Co., repairs and lumber	83.88	

H. A. Page, pine boards	14.76	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., paint	63.02	
Walter F. Campbell, repairs	115.00	
James Twohy, painting	135.00	
James P. Slater, plumbing	23.00	
Elmer Olson, cement and labor	10.75	
William I. Bailey, labor and material	26.88	
Russell Lumber Co., labor and lumber	13.82	
Edward E. Lee, boiler grates	18.50	
Lowell Metal Ceiling Co.. erecting steel ceiling..	85.00	
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies	29.15	
State Prison Colony, brushes	2.32	
Wilmington Builders Supply Co., hardware, lumber, etc.	59.36	
Lowell Gas Light Co., part for refrigerator	1.50	
Raymond Zambeck, labor	6.00	
The Fairgrieve Belting Co., belt	2.97	
Alfred J. Ilg, plumbing	30.28	
David Hinckley, labor	46.00	$ 2,051.74

Massachusetts School Fund

Massachusetts Board of Retirement		$ 1,392.00

Miscellaneous

Harry Wiley, work at Field House	$ 5.00	
Harry Wiley, attendance officer	50.00	
The Thompson Hardware Co., supplies	6.91	
First National Stores, Inc., groceries for Home Economics class	49.50	
Purity Spring Water Co., spring water	32.40	
Central Scientific Co., beam balance	35.78	
A. G. Pollard Co., supplies	15.19	
Gertrude Rutledge, care of cafeteria	384.00	
F. H. Garlick, lumber for High School and labor	4.25	
F. H. Garlick, trucking and driving bus	13.50	
Royal Typewriter Co., typewriters	180.00	
Anderson Bros., milk	25.55	
The Robertson Co., kitchen utensils	115.83	
Jordan Marsh Co., kitchen utensils	3.60	
Commonwealth of Mass. Division of University Extension, correcting papers	3.75	
Stephen G. Bean, travel expenses	110.01	
Stephen G. Bean, clerical service	18.00	
Stephen G. Bean, postage and telephone	3.82	
Currier's Express Co., express	.70	

John H. Seifer, repairs on clock	17.00
Lowell Rendering Co., fertilizer	33.14
International Business Machines Corp., inspection of electric system at High School	15.00
Fred C. Church, premiums on insurance	505.35
Charles Hazel, services as basketball coach	150.00
Thomas A. Bullock, services on report on Foster School heating system	125.00
Boston & Maine R. R., drain pipe privilege	5.00
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., road oil	130.37
Richard O'Neill, labor	8.75
Charles Bowden, labor	8.75
Homer Darby, labor	8.75
Roland Robinson, labor	4.25
Alton Parker, labor	8.05
Joseph Cisluysis, labor	8.05
John Belton, sand	2.20
Scripture's Laundry, laundry	5.80
Bartlett & Dow Co., supplies	32.55
May L. Larrabee, telephone	41.45
May L. Larrabee, paid for weather strips	.50
Dorothy Ackles, making out payrolls	25.00
Vittoria Rosatto, lettering diplomas	29.21
J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing	33.50
Gene's High Grade Ice Cream Co., ice cream	19.74
Mack Courser, labor	22.50
Horace P. Sweet, eggs	1.20
Alyce G. O'Brien, services as clerk	20.50
Underwood Elliott Fisher Co., exchange of two typewriters	65.00
G. C. Prince & Son, exchange of typewriter	32.97
Whitman Pearson, telephone calls, postage, etc.	18.54
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	.25
Science Research Association, occupational information	12.25
Austin F. French, educational certificates	3.25
Mrs. Harry Dawson, pianist at Graduation	3.00
The Bon Marche, supplies	13.29
S. S. Kresge Co., ribbon	3.00
E. Brownstein, supplies	3.20
A. J. Fairgrieve, envelopes	15.98
Fred Howard, First Aid supplies	7.75
Dillon Dye Works, curtains	65.00
Luther R. Baker, moving piano	10.00
Commissioner of Public Safety, inspection of boilers	5.00

Harding Typewriter Co., typewriters cleaned and adjusted	82.50	
Edith Haines, taking census	35.00	
Walter Cogan, labor	3.00	
Lowell News Co., N. Y. Herald Tribune subscription	2.20	
F. J. Flemings Est., paper supplies	2.10	
William H. Bennett, water supply for North School	10.00	
J. Harper Gale, writing certificates	13.00	
Wally's Quality Food Store, supplies	3.51	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone	27.03	
A. J. Fairgrieve, fire insurance	153.50	
Ivory System, cleaning and repairing football suits, etc.	243.35	$ 3,153.07

School Nurse

Miss Edith Haines, services	$ 1,299.96

Medical Inspection

Dr. H. M. Larrabee, school physician	$ 200.00
Appropriation for Schools	59,919.00
Total expenditures	59,919.00

Vocational School

Appropriation	$ 1,800.00

Expenditures

City of Lowell, tuition	$ 836.98	
Eastern Mass. St. Ry. Co., transportation of pupils	100.00	$ 936.98
Unexpended		$ 863.02

PUBLIC WELFARE

Appropriation	$ 14,000.00
Less amount to employ an Investigator	1,000.00
	$ 13,000.00
Dec. 12, 1940—Voted to use amount alloted for Investigator for Welfare Dept.	$ 1,000.00
Dec. 12, 1940—Voted to transfer from Surplus Overlays	1,500.00
	$ 15,500.00
Expended for Welfare	$ 15,497.78
Unexpended	2.22

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

Appropriation		$ 4,000.00	
Received Federal Aid, U. S. Grant	$ 2,027.77		
Brought forward from 1939	11.10	$ 2,038.87	
Received Federal Aid, Administration	$ 37.08		
Brought forward from 1939	3.10	$ 40.18	$ 6,079.05
Expended under Town Appropriation		$ 3,988.92	
Expended under U. S. Grant		1,338.00	
Expended under Administration		40.18	$ 5,367.10
Unexpended under Town Appropriation		$ 11.08	
Unexpended under U. S. Grant and carried forward to 1941		700.87	$ 711.95

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Appropriation	$ 9,500.00		
Dec. 12, 1940—Transferred from State and Military Aid	600.00	$ 10,100.00	
Received Federal Aid, U. S. Grant	$ 9,369.35		
Brought forward from 1939	1,178.53	$ 10,547.88	
Received under Administration		315.87	$ 20,963.75
Expended under Town Appropriation		$ 10,098.54	
Expended under U. S. Grant		10,546.33	
Expended under Administration		315.87	$ 20,960.74
Unexpended under Town Appropriation		$ 1.46	
Unexpended under U. S. Grant and carried forward to 1941		1.55	$ 3.01

AID, STATE AND MILITARY

Appropriation		$ 2,500.00	
Dec. 12, 1940—Transferred to Board of Health	$ 250.00		
Dec. 12, 1940—Transferred to Old Age Asst.	600.00	$ 850.00	$ 1,650.00
Expended for Aid			$ 1,177.03
Unexpended			$ 472.97

Unpaid 1939 Welfare Bills
Due Cities and Towns

Appropriation		$ 1,293.69

Expenditures

Town of Auburn	$ 31.00	
City of Chelsea	189.52	
City of Lowell	80.71	
City of Lynn	132.66	
Tewksbury State Hospital and Infirmary	621.01	
Commonwealth of Mass.	65.71	
City of Somerville	5.08	
Town of Billerica	168.00	$ 1,293.69

STATIONERY AND PRINTING

Appropriation		$ 1,150.00

Expenditures

G. C. Prince & Son, supplies	$ 60.23	
Balfe Service Co., printing warrants	58.25	
Balfe Service Co., town reports	454.60	
Courier-Citizen Newspaper Co., advertising, etc.	13.60	
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps and envelopes	266.54	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., forms	16.04	
The Lowell Sun, advertising	10.51	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing	76.00	
Howard P. Collins, typewriter ribbon	.75	
Lcella F. Dewing, advertising	32.26	
George Marshall, paid for supplies	1.00	$ 989.78
Unexpended		$ 160.22

SALARIES

Appropriation, Town Auditor		$ 700.00
Robert E. Gay, services		700.00
Appropriation, Town Treasurer		$ 1,300.00
George A. Marshall, services		1,300.00
Appropriation, Selectmen		$ 800.00
Irving F. French, services	$ 300.00	
Bernard H. Greene, services	250.00	
Duncan J. Cameron, services	224.65	
Everett H. King, services	25.35	$ 800.00

Appropriation, Town Clerk		$ 750.00
H. Louis Farmer, Jr.		750.00
Appropriation, Tax Collector		$ 1,500.00
Harry C. Dawson, services		1,500.00
Appropriation, School Committee		$ 225.00
May L. Larrabee, services	$ 75.00	
Austin F. French, services	46.75	
J. Harper Gale, services	75.00	
Ralph S. Battles, services	28.25	$ 225.00
Appropriation, Road Commissioners		$ 400.00
Thomas P. Sawyer, services	$ 200.00	
Chester Roper, services	100.00	
Louis Berube, services	91.69	$ 391.67
Unexpended		$ 8.33
Appropriation, Election Officers		$ 150.00
Annie McPhillips, services	$ 22.50	
Jesse French, services	22.50	
Thomas Sullivan, services	22.50	
Jeremiah Houlihan, services	17.50	
William Smith, services	17.50	
Wallace Farwell, services	15.00	
William McGowan, services	7.50	
Irving Bailey, services	7.50	
Arthur Wells, services	7.50	$ 140.00
Unexpended		$ 10.00

INCIDENTALS

Appropriation	$ 900.00

Expenditures

Chester E. Burgess, transporting boys to Army Base	$ 12.00
Irving F. French, expenses at hearings	21.00
Everett H. King, expenses at hearings	9.00
Rogers & Sherburne, legal services	73.25
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	238.86
Director of Accounts, certifying notes	12.00
George A. Marshall, travel expenses	24.00
Fred C. Church, treasurer's bond	103.50
Appleton National Bank, rent of safety box	5.50
A. J. Fairgrieve, box rent	1.05

Middlesex Co. Selectmen's Asso., membership dues	6.00	
Burroughs Adding Machine Co., service charge	6.00	
Winthrop Jones, G. A. R. markers and load of loam	4.67	
C. B. Coburn Co., paint	1.70	
H. Louis Farmer, Jr., expenses to Town Clerk's Convention	3.75	
L. C. Smith & Corona Typewriter, Inc., overhauling typewriter	12.00	
Duncan J. Cameron, travel expenses acct. B. of H., B. of P. W. and Selectmen	100.00	
Irving F. French, perambulating Town line	10.00	
Bernard H. Greene, perambulating Town line	10.00	
Duncan J. Cameron, perambulating Town line	10.00	
Duncan J. Cameron, expenses to Boston	3.00	
H. Louis Farmer, Jr., acknowledging deeds	16.75	
William Pringle, labor at South Cemetery	30.00	
William Pringle, labor at Old Cemetery	4.00	
Winthrop Jones, care of soldiers' lot	17.00	
Tewksbury Cemetery Corp., care of Town Tomb and Lot	10.00	
Bernard H. Greene, travel expenses, acct. of B. of H., B. of P. W. and Selectmen	50.00	
Irving F. French, travel expenses, acct. B. of H., B. of P. W. and Selectmen	50.00	
Robert E. Gay, acknowledgments for Aid reimbursements	1.25	
T. C. Lee & Co., Town Clerk's bond	5.00	
E. H. King, P. O. box rent	.35	
Arthur Wells, typewriter for Town Clerk	40.00	$ 891.63
Unexpended		$ 8.37

BOARD OF HEALTH

Appropriation		$ 2,500.00
Transferred from State and Military Aid	$ 250.00	
Transferred from Tax Title Account	250.00	$ 500.00
		$ 3,000.00

Expenditures

Middlesex Co. Sanatorium, care of town cases....	$ 1,840.25	
Commonwealth of Mass. State Infirmary, care of T. B. cases	444.01	
Dr. John P. Mahoney, services at dental clinics	144.00	
Massachusetts Memorial Hospitals, care of town cases	87.00	
F. & E. Bailey & Co., medical supplies	15.82	
Golen's Garage, gasoline and oil	18.86	
Waltham Ambulance Service, moving patient to Middlesex Co. Sanatorium	5.00	
The Waltham Hospital, care of town case	92.85	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., licenses	1.85	
Dr. H. M. Larrabee, professional services	247.00	
Balfe Service Co., cards	3.50	$ 2,900.14
Unexpended		$ 99.86

MEMORIAL DAY

Appropriation		$ 350.00

Expenditures

Squadron 87 Drum Corps, services	$ 15.00	
Patten & Co., wreaths and other expenses	16.55	
Chelmsford Junior Legion Drum Corps	25.00	
Reading Post 62 Band, American Legion, services	100.00	
L. Perkins, orator	15.00	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, programs	4.25	
Eastern Mass. St. Ry. Co., 2 motor coaches	16.00	
Roland Bourdon, soloist	3.00	
Winthrop Jones, flags	12.45	
Miss Madelon Phillips, services and accompanist	7.00	
F. I. Carter & Sons, bouquets	7.50	
Ladies Aid Society, dinners	120.00	
Commonwealth of Mass., salutes by battery	8.25	$ 350.00

STREET LIGHTING

Appropriation		$ 5,970.00

Expenditures

Lowell Electric Light Corp., street lights		$ 5,909.48
Unexpended		$ 60.52

LIBRARY

Appropriation		$ 1,250.00
Dog Tax		511.15
		$ 1,761.15

Expenditures

Dorothy Fitzgerald, expenses to Boston	$ 12.00	
DeWolfe & Fiske Co., books	894.19	
Ruth W. Smith, expenses to Boston	21.00	
Ruth W. Smith, telephone calls	.25	
Blanche King, assistant librarian	125.00	
Abbie M. Blaisdell, librarian	200.00	
Abbie M. Blaisdell, box rent and supplies	3.10	
Delbert Nash, assistant librarian	100.00	
Frontier Press Co. of Boston, book	4.06	
Maude B. Gray, magazine subscriptions	53.85	
Smithsonian Institution Series, Inc., books	60.20	
O. H. Toothaker, books	7.05	
The Quincy Bookbinding Co., books	66.72	
Jean Karr & Co., books	102.90	
Parker, Holliston Publishing Co., books	10.50	
Gaylord Brothers, Inc., supplies	12.70	
Edgar Smith, transporting books to outlying districts	87.50	$ 1,761.02
Unexpended		$ .13

TOWN HALL

Appropriation ..... $ 3,800.00

Expenditures

Georges James, Janitor	$ 1,248.00	
George James, paid for supplies	8.36	
Anthony Cidado, wiring and installing lights	15.00	
James Kershaw, tuning and repairing pianos	6.00	
Middlesex Supply Co., electrical supplies	37.40	
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	54.86	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	173.89	
Goodco Sanitary Products, supplies	21.00	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity and lamps	609.98	
Lowell Gas Light Co., gas	65.12	
A. F. French & Co., table paper	45.08	
First National Stores, Inc., supplies	.57	
A. A. Smith & Co., Burroughs ribbon	1.00	
Atlas Products Co., lamps	16.94	
Louis Amiot, piano	15.00	
James Twohey, painting	115.00	
James Twohey, paid for material	35.00	
New England Wall Paper Co., paint, etc.	18.63	
F. & E. Check Writer Sales Co., check writer	74.00	
Arthur Tremblay, supplies	12.26	
F. H. Garlick, trucking	4.25	

E. A. Wilson Co., coal	43.60	
Acme Painting Co., paint and labor	50.00	
The C. B. Dolge Co., disinfectant	28.40	
Bay State Paint & Varnish Products, paint supplies	17.86	
Coggan & Sherman, varnish	2.25	
State Prison Colony, brushes and handles	6.46	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., ink	.95	
F. W. Woolworth Co., salt and pepper shakers	4.80	
Thomas F. Sullivan, labor and material	7.00	
George Brabant, wood	6.00	
A. G. Pollard Co., towels	10.80	
Osterman Coal Co., coal	507.97	
Elmer Olson, repairing roof	21.24	
North Tewksbury Garage, sharpening mower	1.50	
Bartlett & Dow Co., sharpening mower	2.00	
Wayne G. Estes, lawn mower blades	4.25	
Commissioner of Public Safety, inspection of boilers	10.00	
F. L. Kane, labor and material	41.20	
Lincoln Gerrish, labor	22.75	
The Thompson Hardware Co., rakes	2.98	
Daniel T. Sullivan, cement	7.50	
Disabled Ex-Servicemen's Exchange, Inc., flag, cover and stand	43.75	
S. S. Kresge Co., silverware	18.00	
Russell Lumber Co., lumber	19.39	$ 3,457.99
Unexpended		$ 342.01

GENERAL

Merchant's National Bank, paid notes No. 220—No. 225	$ 42,000.00	
Middlesex Co. Treasurer, T. B. assessment	1,309.48	
Middlesex Co. Treasurer, Dog licenses	773.80	
Middlesex Co. Treasurer, County tax	6,016.42	
National Shawmut Bank, paid Notes No. 226, No. 223, No. 224, No. 228	59,000.00	
Commonwealth of Mass., State Tax	11,200.00	
Commonwealth of Mass., State Parks and Reservations	213.24	
Commonwealth of Mass., Auditing Municipal Accounts	788.02	$121,300.96

MOTH DEPARTMENT

Appropriation		$ 1,500.00
Expenditures		
Harris M. Briggs, labor	$ 830.00	
Harris M. Briggs, paid for registrations	4.00	
William Scarlett, truck	25.00	
Converse Parker, labor	4.00	
Joseph Bennett, labor	13.00	
Farm Service Co., arsenate of lead	175.00	
Frost Insecticide, creosote	15.74	
Harris M. Briggs, Jr., labor	122.00	
Napoleon Boucher, labor	148.00	
Harry C. Curtis, labor	58.00	
Moses Webster, labor	16.00	
Louis Sterlbaum, labor	20.00	
Bartlett & Dow Co., supplies	.40	
John Gerrish, labor	44.00	
William Woodburn, labor	5.00	
Delbert Fitzgerald, labor	5.00	
Carl LaDuke, labor	8.00	
Arthur Tremblay, supplies	2.30	$ 1,495.84
Unexpended		$ 4.16

TREE WARDEN

Appropriation		$ 1,500.00
Expenditures		
Freddie's General Store, gasoline	$ 11.74	
Converse Parker, transporting tools	27.30	
Harris M. Briggs, Jr., labor	160.00	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	6.75	
Napoleon Boucher, filing saws and labor	129.75	
Donovan's, supplies	3.25	
Joseph Bennett, labor	54.00	
Moses Webster, labor	71.00	
Wilbur Calkins, labor	4.00	
Samuel Feinstein, labor	4.00	
William H. Dewing, filing saws	2.10	
Harry C. Curtis, labor	46.00	
Harris M. Briggs, labor	537.00	
Bartlett & Dow Co., supplies	46.55	
J. J. Costello Co., gaffs	10.92	
Middlesex Co. Farm Bureau Ass'n., supplies	6.25	
J. E. Caldwell, repairs to motor	6.00	
Frost Insecticide Co., supplies	35.49	
Bulley's Filling Station, gasoline	101.97	

North Tewksbury Garage, labor and parts	26.74	
Frank J. Sullivan, parts	9.50	
Elmer Olson, labor	52.00	
Forrest Foster, labor	20.00	
North Wilmington Nurseries, trees	17.00	
J. E. Caldwell, repairs	4.00	
Middlesex Supply Co., parts	1.97	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing	3.00	
Earl Brown, labor	7.00	
Roland Fearon, lettering truck	2.00	
Louis Brazee, labor	19.00	
William McKay, labor	16.00	
Edward Cogan, use of horse	44.00	
Louis Sterlbaum, labor	8.00	
F. & E. Bailey & Co., supplies	4.50	$ 1,499.38
Unexpended		$ .62

INTEREST

Appropriation		$ 500.00
Expenditures		
Merchant's National Bank, discount on notes 225	$ 77.40	
National Shawmut Bank, discount on notes	74.93	$ 152.33
Unexpended		$ 347.67

POLICE

Appropriation		$ 6,000.00
Expenditures		
Cyril L. Barker, Chief	$ 2,080.00	
Chester E. Burgess, services	1,560.00	
City of Lowell, use of jail	58.25	
City of Lowell, radio service	25.00	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	159.21	
Cities Service Oil Co., gasoline	391.82	
Billerica Motor Sales Co., labor and supplies	80.00	
Billerica Motor Sales Co., exchange of Ford cars	275.00	
Iver Johnson Sporting Goods Co., cartridges	31.93	
Miller-Bryant-Pierce, record ribbons	1.50	
George M. Hazel, services	242.60	
Daniel Sterling, services	65.40	
Lauchie McPhail, services	403.00	
Golen's Garage, labor and parts	29.02	
North Tewksbury Garage, labor and parts	8.95	

City of Lowell, ambulance service	5.00	
Myers Auto Supply Co., supplies	51.59	
S. M. Spencer Mfg. Co., badges and repairs	11.33	
Grabar Electric Co., Inc., electrical supplies	22.04	
Frank P. McCartin Co., electrical supplies	11.25	
A. J. Fairgieve, stamps	9.60	
Harry A. Morrison, installing radio equipment and repairs	46.00	
Ross E. Sargent, services	263.10	
Gorham Fire Equipment Co., supplies	4.85	
Williams Book Store, books	9.00	
Daniel Sheehan, services	107.10	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	3.95	
Dr. Ralph Heifetz, professional services	9.00	
Harold F. DeCourcy, supplies	8.41	
Hinton's Service Station, gasoline	1.61	
The Phaneuf Press, records	7.75	
The Marion Studios, photographs	15.37	
A. A. Smith & Co., ribbons	1.50	$ 5,999.53
Unexpended		$ .47

PARKS AND COMMONS

Appropriation	$ 300.00

Expenditures

Harris M. Briggs, care of common	13.27	
Harris M. Briggs, lawn mower blades	2.50	
Bartlett & Dow Co., supplies	6.14	
Alfred Johnson, Jr., labor	4.00	
Walter Roberts, labor	98.00	
Russell Lumber Co., lumber and paint	4.10	
E. L. Talbot, sharpening lawn mowers	2.00	
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	13.96	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	18.00	
Converse Parker, labor on flag pole	5.00	
Harris M. Briggs, Jr., care of common	60.00	
Harris M. Briggs, Jr., care of flag	25.00	
Lindley A. Roberts, pump and motor	10.00	
Corey's Steeplejacks, removing top of flag pole	15.00	
Middlesex Supply Co., supplies	9.87	
Frank P. McCartin Co., supplies	10.22	$ 297.06
Unexpended		$ 2.94

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation		$ 5,000.00
Expenditures		
A. S. Haines, Chief	$ 1,820.00	
Hinton's Service Station, garage rent	97.50	
Hinton's Service Station, supplies	57.00	
Jacob Halpersohn, gravel	2.40	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	159.11	
Lowell Gas Light Co., gas	23.53	
North Tewksbury Garage, labor and parts	127.55	
North Tewksbury Garage, storage	84.00	
E. A. Wilson Co., fuel oil	172.09	
Atlas Products, lamps	5.20	
American Equipment Co., parts	228.97	
American Equipment Co., siren	404.96	
Charles W. Knox & Son, accident insurance for firemen	187.50	
Air-O-Matic Ventilator Co., air-o-matic	3.08	
Harry Patterson, Jr., labor on trucks	81,65	
Middlesex Supply Co., supplies	10.04	
Pratt & Forrest Co., lumber	5.08	
Towers Motor Parts Corp., supplies	3.03	
Bulley's Filling Station, grease	.50	
Lowell Rendering Co., fertilizer	2.19	
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	11.04	
E. S. Haines, labor and trip to Boston	55.75	
Thomas Sullivan, labor	5.00	
Arthur Tremblay, gasoline, oil and supplies	67.02	
Donovan's, chamois	3.00	
Wilmington Water Department, rental of hydrants	120.00	
Lowell Iron & Steel Co., hardware	5.80	
Louis Marion, material	1.50	
Reo Sales Corp., parts	2.66	
Roy Patterson, raking leaves	3.00	
Daniel E. McQuade, supplies	23.83	
Labor at Fires		
Thomas Sullivan	$ 106.75	
Everett Haines	150.25	
Andrew Kohanski	113.75	
Harry Gleason	41.75	
Frank Corr	32.50	
Walter MacKenzie	1.00	
Harry Patterson	105.25	
George James	76.75	
William R. Millett	55.00	
Omer Blanchard	6.50	

John Carter	20.25	
Fred Carter	15.25	
William Shanley	24.75	
Albert Bancroft	13.00	
William Bailey	33.50	
Edgar Hinton	26.75	
Edgar Hinton, Jr.	23.50	
Harry Wiley, Jr.	1.00	
Charles Bowden	42.75	
Harold Mills	21.25	
Victor Lundquist	24.25	
Anthony Cidado	28.00	
Alexander Suprenant	32.75	
Hugh Cameron	15.25	
Howard King	37.50	
James Bancroft	21.50	
Walter Roberts	3.50	
John Smith	18.00	
Wallace Farwell	22.75	
Fred King	5.50	
Albert Lord	2.00	
Earl Sands	19.00	
Robert Haines	3.50	
Walter Kohanski	4.25	$ 4,923.23
Unexpended		$ 76.77

ASSESSORS

Appropriation		$ 2,500.00

Expenditures

Wilbur K. Foss, services	$ 215.50	
Roberta Foss, services as clerk	31.50	
Percy L. Haines, services	479.50	
Buzzell King, services	880.25	
Hobbs & Warren Inc., forms	49.60	
G. C. Prince & Son, supplies	33.34	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	33.83	
Thomas E. Watson, drawing plans etc.	49.10	
George R. Barnstead & Son, excise cards	1.00	
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps and envelopes	19.08	
Ethel M. Phillips, services as clerk	375.00	
Royal Typewriter Co., typewriter	112.05	
Austin F. French, services	182.00	
Austin F. French, use of car	27.00	$ 2,488.75
Unexpended		$ 11.25

INSPECTION OF MEATS AND ANIMALS

Appropriation		$ 600.00

Expenditures

A. H. Jewell, inspection of meat and animals		$ 600.00

COLLECTION OF TAXES

Appropriation		$ 1,200.00

Expenditures

New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	$ 53.50	
Underwood Elliott Fisher Co., servicing adding machine	18.00	
Underwood Elliott Fisher Co., servicing typewriter	92.93	
A. J. Fairgrieve, envelopes	402.82	
A. J. Fairgrieve, box rent	1.80	
Hobbs & Warren Inc., cash book	8.02	
Philip B. Carter, premium on Collector's bond	205.00	
Robinson Seal Co., Inc., warrants and notices	4.31	
A. W. LaFond & Co., tax bills	99.00	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	6.65	
The Lowell Sun, notices	110.63	
H. Louis Farmer, Jr., acknowledgement of deeds and disclaimers	30.65	
Harry C. Dawson, paid Registry of Deeds	137.80	
Harry C. Dawson, paid express	.65	
Walter H. Wilcox, Inc., premium on bond	10.00	
Massachusetts Tax Collectors' & Treas. Asso., dues	2.00	$ 1,183.76
Unexpended		$ 16.24

MAINTENANCE OF LEGION HALL

Appropriation		$ 125.00

Expenditures

Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	$ 68.92	
Ira H. Brown, labor	8.00	
John R. Smith, labor and material	30.78	
F. J. Flemings Est., paper	2.50	
Mrs. H. J. Patten, supplies	2.00	
The Bon Marche Dry Goods Co., ash stands and supplies	12.00	$ 124.20
Unexpended		$ .80

4-H CLUB

Appropriation		$ 50.00
Expenditures		
Omer Blanchard, transportation	$ 10.00	
Mrs. Gertrude Rutledge, expenses for club	4.71	
Mary Fuller, expenses to music camp	5.00	$ 19.71
Unexpended		$ 30.29

DOG OFFICER

Appropriation		$ 100.00
Expenditures		
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone	$ 2.75	
Lowell Humane Society, destroying stray dogs	3.00	
Gerald Finneran, services as Dog Officer	94.25	$ 100.00

HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING LOAN

Appropriation		$ 6,058.75
Expenditures		
The Merchants National Bank, interest on notes No. 190 and No. 141 to 177	$ 1,045.00	
Paid notes No. 190 and No. 141 to 144	5,000.00	
	6,045.00	
Alfred L. Ripley, interest on loan	13.75	$ 6,058.75

BOARD OF REGISTRARS

Appropriation		$ 650.00
Expenditures		
The Lowell Sun, advertising	$ 9.38	
Balfe Service Co., printing check lists	20.00	
William H. Bennett, services	76.75	
George J. McCoy, services	82.25	
Herbert A. Fairbrother, services	63.75	
Chester E. Burgess, services	50.25	
H. Louis Farmer, Jr., services	265.55	
H. W. Wennik, rental of typewriter	5.00	
G. C. Prince & Son, rental of typewriter	3.00	
Robinson Seal Co. Inc., supplies	22.82	
Spaulding-Moss Co., poll list	51.04	$ 649.79
Unexpended		$ .21

JOHN T. GALE—ROAD COMMISSIONER

Appropriation		$ 100.00

Expenditures

John T. Gale, salary as road commissioner for 1938		$ 100.00

W. P. A. FUND

Appropriation		$ 10,000.00

Expenditures

Fred H. Garlick, trucking	$ 113.22	
Everett H. King, Sponsor's Agent	1,107.83	
Everett H. King, paid for sharpening picks	2.00	
Everett H. King, registration plates	8.00	
Everett H. King, travel expenses	33.00	
Joseph Martos, trucking	12.00	
Hinton's Service Station, oil and gasoline	182.05	
Hinton's Service Station, trucking	9.00	
Edward H. Bowley, bricks and trucking	118.00	
Converse Parker, transporting tools	48.00	
Golen's Garage, labor and supplies	509.45	
Golen's Garage, storage	23.75	
Freddie's General Store, gasoline	24.37	
Bulley's Filling Station, gasoline	225.85	
United States Treasurer, material and administration expenses	1,280.23	
Koplow Trimming Co., Inc., supplies and sharpening shears	137.55	
Charles Santas, storage of butter	1.35	
Surgical Dressings, Inc., supplies	11.39	
Donohoe Tire Co., tires	42.75	
Wilmington Coal Co., coal	378.25	
Surplus Commodity District, warehouse service charge	52.00	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	48.60	
Singer Sewing Machine Co., motor parts	154.10	
Middlesex Supply Co., paint and hardware	25.90	
Bartlett & Dow Co., tools and hardware	121.40	
D. M. Laffin, sharpening tools, repairs, etc.	20.40	
F. J. Flemings Est., bags and boxes	74.36	
Dorothy E. Ackles, clerk	340.00	
North Tewksbury Garage, labor and parts	27.56	
Lowell Iron & Steel Co., irons, etc.	11.13	
F. & E. Bailey & Co., First Aid supplies	3.31	
Carroll Motor Co., exchange of trucks	710.00	
Davis & Sargent Lumber Co., lumber	9.54	

Upton & Gilman Machine Co., sharpening drills ..	17.50
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps	2.00
New England Concrete Pipe Corp., sewer pipe	1,428.85
H. J. Nassar Motor Sales Co., dump truck	450.00
Arthur Tremblay, supplies	12.76
Robert E. Gay, attesting signatures for W. P. A. documents	18.00
C. M. White Iron Works, highway grates and frames	394.40
Russell Lumber Co., lumber	2.72
John H. McKay Filling Station, gas, oil and grease	12.80
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	4.04
Osterman Coal Co., cement	145.40
John G. MacLellan, oil	15.84
Louis E. Marion, setting glass	8.90
George Brabant, rent of pump	5.00
Margaret Livingston, paid for material	1.25
S. Walker McCausland, labor	32.75
Napoleon Boucher, repairing tools	2.50
John Brady, brick	144.00
Fairgrieve Belting Co., belt	.84
Colonial Beacon Oil Co., road oil	82.24
Lull & Hartford, blasting caps	4.75
John R. Craig, trucking and services at Commodity Center	99.40
A. G. Pollard Co., supplies	17.88
G. C. Prince & Son, supplies	2.10
Brosnan & Brosnan, fish	2.61
Frank J. Sullivan, parts	34.00
Henry P. Foley, shovels	37.02
Boston & Maine R. R., installing drain at Baldwin's crossing	11.94
Conant Machine & Steel Co., parts	34.44
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., concrete	206.64
Cities Service Oil Co., loading machines, tires	165.32
Daniel T. Sullivan, pipe	9.80
Richard O'Neill, trucking	163.00
Trull Brothers, labor, rail caps and pipe	53.50
Jacob Halpersohn, gravel	6.90
Towers Motor Parts Corp., grease gun	3.00
James Manley, trucking	61.75
Jesse J. French, wood	10.00
Clarence LaDuke, lighting bombs	3.50
James Bancroft, trucking	7.50
William Shanley, trip to Concord for loader part	2.00
William Shanley, labor	2.50

Registry of Motor Vehicles, registration of trucks	8.00	
Currier's Express, trucking	2.20	
Charles Buffum, oil and grease	.92	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, cards	2.75	$ 9,601.55
Unexpended		$ 398.45

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Appropriation		$ 225.00
Expenditures		
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., supplies	$ 12.66	
Victor N. Cluff, services	200.00	
Victor N. Cluff, paid for paint	2.23	$ 214.89
Unexpended		$ 10.11

BLANCHE AMES vs. TOWN OF TEWKSBURY

Appropriation		$ 601.00
Expenditures		
John C. Percival, appraisal services, plans, photographs and testimony at hearing	$ 250.00	
R. E. Runels Construction Co., appraisal services and testimony	200.00	
Rogers & Sherburne, services	151.00	$ 601.00

SPECIAL POLICE SERVICE FOR SCHOOLS

Appropriation		$ 360.00
Expenditures		
Daniel Sheehan, services		$ 273.60
Unexpended		$ 86.40

ASSISTANCE ON TAX TITLES

Appropriation		$ 500.000
Expenditures		
Ethel M. Phillips, services	$ 234.50	
Thomas E. Watson, re-drawing plans	115.58	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	11.85	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., reports	4.67	$ 366.60
Unexpended		$ 133.40

NEW FIRE TRUCK

Appropriation		$ 1,550.00
Expenditures		
Thomas Sullivan, labor	$ 46.25	
Pratt & Forrest Co., lumber	33.41	
The Thompson Hardware Co., supplies	13.87	
John C. Bennett, parts	1.85	
Donovan's, matting and straps	6.66	
Middlesex Supply Co., parts	13.84	
Mathias-Hart Co., parts	1.35	
Scannell Boiler Works, parts	178.20	
American Fire Equipment Co., parts	174.32	
Rand Signs, truck lettered and striped	12.00	
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	14.44	
Towers Motor Parts Corp., tubing	.58	
Lowell Iron & Steel Co., bolts and rivets	.60	
North Tewksbury Garage, labor and material	28.15	
John W. Kirwin, supplies	1.50	
Pease Motor Co., new chassis and cab	1,001.87	$ 1,528.89
Unexpended		$ 21.11

MOTOR EXCISE REFUND

Fred Dugau	$ 14.03
Lillian G. Robicheau	11.47
Waz. Goutarz	3.46
John H. Kelley	7.65
Leon H. Daniels	3.10
Charles J. Balnis	3.10
Edward Osterman	16.91
Frederick A. Smith	1.28
F. I. Carter & Sons	4.85
Anthony J. Furtado	13.10
Herbert Parker	7.10
Annie Roberts	1.09
Walter N. Smith	.91
Anna F. Hughes	9.35
Agnes J. Trull	5.58
Gladys M. Alexander	4.28
Ernest G. Dewing	5.28
George M. Hazel	1.64
Frank Hodgson	2.29
Frederick F. Meloy	1.64
Harry B. Murray	4.24
Edwin L. Olson	1.42

Nils E. Svigbergson	8.03	
Edwin B. Thomas	3.34	
Thomas E. Watson	3.76	
John E. Denehy, Jr.	2.43	
Anderson Brothers	2.28	$ 143.61

MUNICIPAL INSURANCE FUND

Appropriation	$ 1,500.00
Washington Savings Institution, deposited	1,500.00

REPAIRS TO FOSTER SCHOOL HEATING SYSTEM

Appropriation (from available funds)	$ 3,500.00

Expenditures

F. L. Kane a/c contract	$ 1,205.00	
Osterman Coal Co., material and labor	117.76	
Osterman Coal Co., exchange of boiler and stoker	1,641.00	
W. A. Mack Co., repairs to furnace at Shawsheen School, labor and parts	109.82	$ 3,073.58
Unexpended		$ 426.42

REAL ESTATE TAX REFUND

Fred L. Roper, refund on abatement	$ 5.86	
Catherine A. Foster, refund on abatement	1.48	
Mark Roper, refund on abatement	2.93	$ 10.27

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE REIMBURSEMENT

Receipts

Estate of Edward E. Rowe	$ 67.22

Payments

Rogers & Sherburne, legal services	$ 16.80	
Commonwealth of Mass., reimbursement	22.41	$ 39.21
Unexpended		$ 28.01

FORECLOSURE OF TAX TITLES

Appropriation $250.00.

Dec. 12, 1940—Transferred by vote, to Board of Health account $250.00.

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

Receipts

Central Savings Bank, interest from:		
Thomas Bridge Fund	$ 2.75	
Samuel Jaques Fund	2.75	
Jeremiah Kittredge	2.75	
City Institution for Savings, interest from:		
Peter Clark Fund	5.00	
Martha Shedd Fund	6.00	$ 19.25
William Pringle, care of Martha Shedd lot	6.00	
William Pringle, care of Peter Clark lot	5.00	
Tewksbury Cemetery Corp.:		
Care of the Thomas Bridge lot	2.75	
Care of the Samuel Jaques lot	2.75	
Care of the Jeremiah Kittredge lot	2.75	$ 19.25

FOSTER SCHOOL FUND

Central Savings Bank, interest	$ 12.00

Expenditures

E. J. Sherin, loam	$ 12.00

SUMMARY

Highways—General	$ 7,608.00
Highways—Chapter 81	15,822.74
Highway Machinery Fund	4,835.60
Highways—Chapter 90, Maintenance	6,575.09
Schools	59,919.00
Vocational Schools	936.98
Public Welfare	15,497.78
Aid to Dependent Children	5,367.10
Old Age Assistance	20,960.74
Aid, State and Military	1,177.03
Unpaid 1939 Welfare Bills Due Cities and Towns	1,293.69
Stationery and Printing	989.78
Salaries:	
Town Auditor	700.00
Town Treasurer	1,300.00
Selectmen	800.00
Town Clerk	750.00
Tax Collector	1,500.00
School Committee	225.00
Road Commissioners	391.67
Election Officers	140.00

Incidentals	891.63
Board of Health	2,900.14
Memorial Day	350.00
Street Lighting	5,909.48
Library	1,761.02
Town Hall	3,457.99
General	121,300.96
Moth Department	1,495.84
Tree Warden	1,499.38
Interest	152.33
Police	5,999.53
Parks and Commons	297.06
Fire Department	4,923.23
Assessors	2,488.75
Inspection of Meat and Animals	600.00
Collection of Taxes	1,183.76
Maintenance of Legion Hall	124.20
4-H Club	19.71
Dog Officer	100.00
High School Building Loan	6,058.75
Board of Registrars	649.79
John T. Gale, Road Commissioner	100.00
W. P. A. Fund	9,601.55
Sealer of Weights and Measures	214.89
Blanche Ames vs. Town of Tewksbury	601.00
Special Police Service for Schools	273.60
Assistance on Tax Titles	366.60
New Fire Truck	1,528.89
Motor Excise Refund	143.61
Municipal Insurance Fund	1,500.00
Repairs to Foster School Heating System	3,073.58
Real Estate Tax Refund	10.27
Old Age Assistance Reimbursement	39.21
Foreclosure of Tax Titles	000.00
Cemetery Trust Funds	19.25
Foster School Fund	12.00
Total expenditures	$326,439.10
Cash on hand $ 7.45	
Cash in bank 32,396.03	$ 32,403.48
	$358,842.58
Treasurer's receipts	$358,842.58

TRUST FUNDS

Condition of trust funds, Dec. 31, 1940:

Municipal Building Insurance Fund	$ 16,639.59
Foster School Fund	1,128.69
Peter Clark Cemetery Fund	98.43
Martha Shedd Cemetery Fund	651.39
Louisa Bridges Cemetery Fund	169.82
Samuel Jacques Cemetery Fund	122.29
Jeremiah Kittredge Cemetery Fund	122.30
Ebenezer Page Cemetery Fund	406.15
William Prindle Cemetery Fund	102.70
Dr. George A. Peirce Fund	100.67

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of all Town Officials who were authorized to receive and expend money for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1940, and to the best of my knowledge they are correct, with proper vouchers on file, and $32,403.48 in the Treasury.

ROBERT E. GAY,
Town Auditor.

Personally appeared before me on this 23rd day of January, 1941, Robert E. Gay, Town Auditor, and made oath that the foregoing statements are correct.

THOMAS F. FLYNN,
Justice of the Peace.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash Balance January 6, 1940	$ 36,577.39
Loans in Anticipation of Revenue	72,000.00
Loans in Anticipation of Highway Reimbursement	13.000.00

Taxes

1934 Account:		
Demands	$	1.05
Excise		27.32
Interest		2.39
Poll		6.00
1935 Account:		
Demands	$	3.85
Excise		27.51
Interest		9.23
Poll		16.00
1936 Account:		
Demands	$	9.45
Excise		163.13
Interest		33.68
Poll		22.00
Real Estate		86.68
1937 Account:		
Demands	$	24.50
Excise		232.86
Interest		113.52
Poll		70.00
Personal		77.46
Real Estate		589.34
1938 Account:		
Demands	$	43.75
Excise		128.97
Interest		747.73
Personal		442.88
Poll		240.00
Real Estate		11,908.91

1939 Account			
Demands	$ 25.90		
Excise	355.74		
Interest	570.63		
Personal	678.30		
Poll	448.00		
Real Estate	19,119.34		
1940 Account:			
Demands	$ 35.00		
Excise	6,558.30		
Interest	37.63		
Personal	54,190.02		
Poll	1,412.00		
Real Estate	53,516.72		
			$151,975.79

Tax Titles

Tax Titles Redeemed	$ 3,398.49		
Partial payments	1,115.76		
		$	4,514.25
Land Owned by the Town sold	$ 272.00		272.00

HIGHWAYS

Treasurer of The Commonwealth:			
Highway Contract No. 7057	$ 1,861.47		
Highway Contract No. 3286	669.01		
Highway Chapter 81	9,450.00		
Chapter 90 Maintenance	2,500.00		
Hire of Town Roller by State Infirmary	260.00		
		$	14,740.48

HIGHWAY FUND

Treasurer of The Commonwealth:			
Distribution of Highway Fund, Chapter 504, Acts of 1939	$ 8,996.39	$	8,996.39

HIGHWAYS

Treasurer of Middlesex County:			
Maintenance of Highways, various roads	$ 1,861.46		
Chapter 90 Maintenance	2,500.00		
		$	4,361.46

PUBLIC WELFARE

Treasurer of The Commonwealth:		
Aid to Dependent Children, Federal Grants	$ 2,064.74	
Old Age Assistance, Federal Grant	9,689.52	
Old Age Assistance (State)	6,086.85	
Temporary Aid	3,082.43	
Welfare Reimbursement, Other Cities and Towns	1,886.30	
Old Age Assistance, Reimb. other cities, Towns	584.71	
		$ 23,394.55

STATE AND MILITARY AID

Treasurer of The Commonwealth:		
State Aid	$ 30.00	
Veterans' Exemption Sec. 11 and 12, Chap. 58	43.80	
		$ 73.80

REIMBURSEMENTS

Estate of Edward E. Rowe, Old Age Assistance	$ 67.22	$ 67.22

POLICE

District Court of Lowell, Fines, etc.	$ 89.40	
Chief Cyril L. Barker, Gun Permits	6.50	
		$ 95.90

PUBLIC LIBRARY

Treasurer of Middlesex County, Dog Tax Refund	$ 511.15	
Abbie Blaisdell, Librarian, Sale of Cards, etc	7.42	
		$ 518.57

SCHOOLS

Treasurer of The Commonwealth:		
Tuition of Children	$ 951.19	
Vocational Education	373.10	
City of Boston:		
School Supplies	1,118.79	
		$ 2,443.08

TOWN HALL

Rent of Town Hall	$ 185.00	$ 185.00

TAXES (State)

Treasurer of The Commonwealth:		
Corporations	$ 1,706.39	
Corporations Sec. 24, Chapt. 58	1,426.78	
Corporation Tax Business	396.67	
Income Tax	7,269.78	
Income Tax Sec. 18, Chapt. 58	7,125.70	
Reimbursement Loss of Taxes	3,151.51	
Dept. of Public Health Subsidies	422.14	
		$ 21,498.97

TRUST FUNDS (Interest)

Louisa Bridges Fund	$ 2.75	
Peter Clark Fund	5.00	
Samuel Jacques Fund	2.75	
Jeremiah Kittredge	2.75	
Martha Shedd	6.00	
Foster School Fund	12.00	
		$ 31.25

TOWN CLERK

H. Louis Farmer, Jr., Town Clerk, Dog Licenses	$ 784.60	
H. Louis Farmer, Jr., Town Clerk, Licenses and Fees	2,697.98	
		$ 3,482.58

MISCELLANEOUS

Advertising (Various)	$ 16.38
Beer Permits, 1 Day, etc.	61.00
Other Permits	10.80
Dental Clinic	49.00
Director of Standards (Hawkers and Pedlars)	24.00
Licenses, Junk, Used Cars, etc.	5.00
Licenses to Slaughter	10.00
Milk Permits (Store, Dealers, Pasteurization)	65.50
Sale of Lavatory Supplies	2.40
Sale of School Supplies	31.81
Sale of Junk (W. P. A. and Fire Depts.)	94.02
Sealer of Weights and Measures Fees	28.41
Telephone Toll Calls:	
Thomas P. Sawyer (1939)	79.25
Bernard Green (1939)	.70
Duncan J. Cameron	7.45

Harry C. Dawson	51.00	
Robert E. Gay	4.00	
Bernard Green	4.50	
Irving F. French	2.65	
A. S. Haines	1.50	
George A. Marshall	1.45	
Thomas P. Sawyer	45.23	
Use of Town's Telephone	.90	
Dividend on Insurance Policy (Legion Hall)	10.95	
Dog Officer (Sale of 2 Dogs)	6.00	
		$ 613.90
Total Money Received		$358,842.58

CREDIT

Aid to Dependent Children, Town Appropriation	$ 3,988.92
Aid to Dependent Children, Federal Grants	1,338.00
Aid to Dependent Children, Federal Grants, Administration	40.18
Aid, State and Military	1,177.03
Assessors	2,488.75
Assistance on Tax Titles	366.60
Blanche Ames vs. Town of Tewksbury	601.00
Board of Registrars	649.79
Collection of Taxes	1,183.76
Dog Officer's Account	100.00
Fire Department	4,923.23
Fire Dept. Special Approp. for Fire Truck	1,528.89
John T. Gale, Road Commissioner	100.00
General	121,300.96
Board of Health	2,900.14
High School Building Loan	6,058.75
Highways	7,608.00
Highways, Chapter 81	15,822.74
Highways, Chapter 90 Maintenance	6,575.99
Highway Machinery Fund	4,835.60
4-H Club	19.71
Incidentals	891.63
Interest	152.33
Inspection of Meats and Animals	600.00
Janitor and Fuel	7,885.68
Library	1,761.02

Maintenance of Legion Hall	124.20	
Medical Inspection	200.00	
Memorial Day	350.00	
Moth Department	1,495.84	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Refund	143.61	
Old Age Assistance, Town Appropriation	10,098.54	
Old Age Assistance, Federal Grants	10,546.33	
Old Age Assistance, Federal Grants Adm. only	315.87	
Old Age Assistance Refunds (Estate of E. E. Rowe)	39.21	
Parks and Commons	297.06	
Police Department	5,999.53	
Real Estate Tax Refund	10.27	
Repairs to Foster and Shawsheen Schools Heating Systems, Special Appropriation	3,073.58	
Salaries	5,806.67	
Schools: School Books and Supplies	2,929.86	
Schools: School Houses	2,051.74	
Schools: School Miscellany	3,153.07	
Schools: School Nurse	1,299.96	
Schools: Special Police for Schools	273.60	
Schools: Supervision	877.56	
Schools: Teachers	31,569.13	
Schools: Massachusetts Retirement Fund (Teachers)	1,392.00	
Sealer of Weights and Measures	214.89	
Stationery and Printing	989.78	
Street Lighting	5,909.48	
Transportation	8,560.00	
Tree Warden	1,499.38	
Town Hall	3,457.99	
Trust Funds: Cemetery	19.25	
Trust Funds: Foster School	12.00	
Trust Funds: Municipal Buildings Insurance	1,500.00	
Vocational Schools	936.98	
Welfare (Public)	15,497.78	
Welfare Bills Special Appropriation	1,293.69	
W. P. A.	9,601.55	
		$326,439.10

Total money received	$358,842.58
Total money paid out	326,439.10
Bank balance in Union Old Lowell Nat'l. Bank	$ 32,403.48

Assets

Money due the Town:		
Public Welfare other cities and Towns	$ 1,399.34	
Old Age Assistance other cities, Towns	439.53	
Treasurer of The Commonwealth:		
Public Welfare	1,181.91	
Old Age Assistance	4,479.93	
Aid to Dependent Children	2,603.79	
Outstanding Taxes	$ 43,266.57	
Cash on hand in Union Old Lowell Nat'l. Bank	$ 32,403.48	
		$ 85,774.55

Liabilities

High School Loan, Notes Nos. 145 to 177 inc.	$ 33,000.00	
Additional High School Loan Note No. 191	1,000.00	
A. R. Town Note No. 227 due February 27, 1941	20,000.00	
Reimbursement Loan Note No. 229 due Mar. 11, 1941	4,000.00	
A. R. Town Note No. 230 due December 18, 1941	$ 25,000.00	
		$ 83,000.00

Total Assets	$ 85,774.55
Total Liabilities	83,000.00
Balance in favor of the Town	$ 2,774.55

Trust Funds

Municipal Buildings Insurance	$ 16,639.59
Foster School	1,128.69
Cemetery (Seven)	1,673.08
George A. Pierce	100.67
Tax Titles held by the Town	$ 14,652.44

Financial Condition of the Town Last Ten Years

			Tax Rate
1932	Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st.....	$ 13,201.94	$ 24.00
1933	Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st.....	18,201.94	24.00
1934	Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st.....	10,283.39	30.00
1935	Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st.....	4,256.33	29.60
1936	Balance against the Town Jan. 1st.....	40,363.11	33.30
1937	Balance against the Town Jan. 1st.....	26,172.22	33.40
1938	Balance against the Town Jan. 1st.....	3,502.38	32.00
1939	Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st.....	5,595.52	29.30
1940	Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st.....	670.60	29.60
1941	Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st.....	2,774.55	

Rate paid on A. R. Notes Year of 1940

Note No. 225 (Sec. 5, Chap. 44) issued Feb. 9th, borrowed at .17% discounted.

Note No. 226 issued Feb. 27th borrowed at .15% discounted.

Note No. 227 issued Feb. 27th borrowed at .23% discounted.

Note No. 228 (Reimb's'm't) issued July 3rd borrowed at .40% discounted.

Note No. 229 (Reimb's'm't) issued Sept. 11th borrowed at .50% discounted.

Note No. 230 issued Dec. 18th borrowed at .19% discounted.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE A. MARSHALL,

Town Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE TAX COLLECTOR

1931 Moth Assessment Account

Outstanding Jan. 4, 1940	$ 10.56	$ 10.56
Abated during 1940	10.56	10.56
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1941		none

1933 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 4, 1940	$ 7.44	
Recommitted during 1940	22.31	
	29.75	$ 29.75
Added to Tax Titles during 1940	2.48	
Abated during 1940	26.53	
	29.01	29.01
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1941		0.74

1934 Accounts

Outstanding Real Estate Jan. 4, 1940	none	
Recommitted during 1940	$ 58.42	$ 58.42
Added to Tax Titles during 1940	3.16	
Abated during 1940	54.31	
	57.47	57.47
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1941		0.95
Outstanding Poll Taxes Jan. 4, 1940	$ 84.50	$ 84.50
Poll Taxes collected during 1940	6.00	
Poll Taxes abated during 1940	62.50	
	68.50	68.50
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1941		16.00
Outstanding Excise Taxes Jan. 4, 1940	$ 195.17	$ 195.17
Excise taxes collected during 1940	27.32	
Abated during 1940	156.15	
	183.47	183.47
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1941		11.70
Interest collected during 1940	$ 2.39	
Costs collected during 1940	1.05	
	3.44	3.44

1935 Accounts

Outstanding Real Estate Taxes Jan. 4, 1940	none	
Recommitted real estate taxes during 1940	$ 40.24	$ 40.24
Added to Tax Titles during 1940	3.10	
Abated during 1940	36.21	
	39.31	39.31
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1941		0.93
Outstanding Poll Taxes Jan. 4, 1940	$ 104.00	$ 104.00
Poll Taxes collected during 1940	16.00	
Poll Taxes abated during 1940	60.00	
	76.00	76.00
Poll Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941		28.00
Outstanding Excise Taxes Jan. 4, 1940	$ 253.06	$ 253.06
Excise Taxes collected during 1940	27.51	
Excise Taxes abated during 1940	121.15	
	148.66	148.66
Excise Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941		104.40
Interested collected during 1940	$ 9.23	
Costs collected during 1940	3.85	
	13.08	$ 13.08

1936 Accounts

Outstanding Estate Taxes Jan. 4, 1940	$ 188.43	
Recommitted Estate Taxes during 1940	46.98	
	235.41	235.41
Estate Taxes collected during 1940	$ 86.68	
Estate Taxes added to Tax Titles 1940	19.99	
Estate Taxes abated during 1940	73.46	
	180.13	$ 180.13
Outstanding Estate Taxes Jan. 1, 1941		55.28
Outstanding Poll Taxes Jan. 4, 1940	$ 152.00	$ 152.00
Poll Taxes Collected during 1940	22.00	
Poll Taxes abated during 1940	72.00	
	94.00	94.00
Poll Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941		58.00
Excise Taxes outstanding Jan. 4, 1940	$ 426.74	$ 426.74

Excise Taxes collected during 1940	163.13	
Excise Taxes abated during 1940	170.12	
	333.25	333.25
Excise Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941		93.49
Interest collected during 1940	$ 33.68	
Costs collected during 1940	9.45	
	43.13	$ 43.13

1937 Accounts

Outstanding Estate Taxes Jan. 4, 1940	$ 1,096.77	
Recommitted during 1940	119.68	
	1,216.45	$ 1,216.45
Estate Taxes Collected during 1940	$ 666.80	
Added to Tax Titles during 1940	254.45	
Abated during 1940	245.20	
	1,166.45	1,166.45
Estate Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941		50.00
Poll Taxes outstanding Jan. 4, 1940	$ 224.00	$ 224.00
Poll Taxes collected during 1940	70.00	
Poll Taxes abated during 1940	74.00	
	144.00	144.00
Poll Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941		80.00
Excise Taxes outstanding Jan. 4, 1940	$ 536.35	
Refunded during 1940	9.35	
	545.70	$ 545.70
Excise Taxes collected during 1940	232.86	
Excise Taxes abated during 1940	125.59	
	358.45	358.45
Excise Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941		187.25
Interest collected during 1940	$ 113.52	
Costs collected during 1940	24.50	
	138.02	138.02

1938 Accounts

Outstanding Estate Taxes Jan. 4, 1940	$15,067.45	
Recommitted during 1940	241.76	
	15,309.21	$15,309.21

Estate Taxes Collected during 1940	$12,351.79	
Added to Tax Titles during 1940	1,667.65	
Abated during 1940	268.20	
	14,287.64	14,287.64
Estate Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1, 1941		1,021.57
Poll Taxes outstanding Jan. 4, 1940	$ 502.00	502.00
Poll Taxes Collected during 1940	240.00	
Poll Taxes abated during 1940	6.00	
	246.00	246.00
Poll Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941		256.00
Excise Taxes outstanding Jan. 4, 1940	$ 187.82	$ 187.82
Excise Taxes collected during 1940	128.97	128.97
Excise Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1, 1941		58.85
Interest collected during 1940	$ 747.73	
Costs collected during 1940	43.75	
	791.48	$ 791.48

1939 Accounts

Real Estate Taxes outstanding Jan. 4, 1940	$31,091.06	
Refunds during 1940	8.79	
	31,099.85	$31,099.85
Real Estate Taxes Collected during 1940	$19,119.34	
Added to Tax Titles during 1940	1,550.36	
Abated during 1940	461.64	
	21,131.34	21,131.34
Real Estate Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941		$ 9,968.51
Personal Taxes outstanding Jan. 4, 1940	$ 966.57	$ 966.57
Personal Taxes collected during 1940	$ 678.30	
Personal Taxes abated during 1940	87.90	
	766.20	$ 766.20
Personal Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941		$ 200.37
Poll Taxes outstanding Jan. 4, 1940	$ 744.00	$ 744.00
Poll Taxes collected during 1940	448.00	
Poll Taxes abated during 1940	4.00	
	452.00	452.00

Poll Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941		292.00
Excise Taxes outstanding Jan. 4, 1940	$ 378.55	
Excise Taxes refunded during 1940	2.75	
	381.30	$ 381.30
Excise Taxes collected during 1940	$ 355.74	
Excise Taxes abated during 1940	2.75	
	358.49	$ 358.49
Excise taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941		$ 22.81
Interest collected during 1940	$ 570.63	
Costs collected during 1940	25.90	
	596.53	$ 596.53
Real Estate Warrants to Collector 1940	$85,483.56	
Real Estate Tax Refunds during 1940	1.48	
Real Estate recommitted during 1940	2.96	
	$85,488.00	$85,488.00
Real Estate Taxes collected during 1940	$53,516.72	
Real Estate Taxes added to Tax Title 1940	2,322.66	
Real Estate Taxes abated during 1940	1,147.97	
	$56,987.35	$56,987.35
Real Estate Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941		$28,500.65
Personal Warrant to Collector 1940	$55,063.04	$55,063.04
Personal Taxes Collected during 1940	$54,190.02	$54,190.02
Personal Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941		$ 973.02
Poll Tax Warrants to Collector 1940	$ 2,264.00	$ 2,264.00
Poll Taxes collected during 1940	1,412.00	
Poll Taxes abated during 1940	140.00	
	1,552.00	$ 1,552.00
Poll Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941		$ 712.00
Excise Tax Warrants to Collector 1940	$ 7,352.85	
Excise Tax Refunds during 1940	131.51	
	7,484.36	$ 7,484.36
Excise Taxes collected during 1940	$ 6,558.30	
Excise Taxes abated during 1940	352.01	
	6,910.31	$ 6,010.31
Outstanding excise taxes Jan. 1, 1941		$ 574.05
Interest collected during 1940	$ 37.63	
Costs collected during 1940	35.00	
	72.63	$ 72.63

Total cash collected during 1940 and turned over to the Treasurer	$151,975.79
Total collected during 1940 by Tax Titles	5,823.85
Total Amount collected during 1940	$157,799.64

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY C. DAWSON,

Collector of Taxes.

REPORT OF ROAD COMMISSIONERS AND SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

January 1, 1941.

Board of Selectmen
Tewksbury, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The following is our report for the year ending December 31, 1940:

CHAPTER 81, AND GENERAL HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE

The usual highway maintenance was carried out during the year and all oiled roads were patched where necessary with bituminous material during the spring and summer months, and this procedure was carried out into the late fall. Many of the streets, which were graveled during 1939, have been shaped, rolled and oiled.

We have been very fortunate in having the W. P. A. Farm to Market Roads Project again this year. Gravel has been applied to Patten Street, French Street, Pine Street, Pupkis Street, Chestnut Street and McLaren Road under this project. Our Department has supplied trucks and has purchased all of the gravel used on these streets.

We wish to take this opportunity to thank Mr. King for the splendid co-operation he has given us in carrying out the work on the Farm to Market Roads.

This year our Department has spent approximately $800.00 for street, town line and traffic signs, which were set up on the principal streets. This town is sadly in need of such signs, and it is our desire to have additional signs erected in the near future. It will interest many to know that this Town has adopted the traffic rules and regulations set up by the Department of Public Safety.

Through the efforts of Mr. Sterling, we have acquired a 5-ton Mack truck, in good condition, at no cost to the Town. We have purchased a Baker Reversible Blade Plow to be used on same. This will be a fine piece of equipment for heavy duty.

The following table gives the amount in gallons of tar, oil, and cut-back used on the highways during the past year. Where tar is shown delivered to the Town Yard it was used in mixing patch.

TAR, OIL, CUT-BACK AND SAND

Street	Tar Gals.	Oil Gals.	Cut-Back Gals.	Sand Cu. Yds.
North Street	4992	400		114
Andover Street		2861	983	
Shawsheen Street	3010	3469		68
Fiske Street		2382		52
Veranda Avenue		950		10
East Street	3504			
Pike Street	956			20
Whipple Road	4388			120
French Street		3792		68
Chapman Street	983			14
Trull Road	1919	384		8
Marshall Street	977			24
McLaren Road			1374	36
Billerica Street	2960	990		78
Carter Street	1000			18
Common Street	502			10
Salem Street		977		16
Barker Road	300			6
Dubuque Avenue	300			6
Adams Street	379			10
Franklin Street	562			12
Bridge Street	900			16
James Street	500			14
Mystic Avenue	469			10
Woburn Street		989		16
Clark Road		1497		26
River Road	5½	2004		950
Livingston Street		2005	1000	46
Washington Street		1174		16
Glenwood Avenue		1502		22
Glenwood Road	300			16
Boston Road	1811			20
Parker Avenue	288			4
Texas Road		794		32
McEvoy Avenue		700		12
Maple Street		600		8
Pinnacle Street		1512		36
Cross Street		1500		28
Ballard Street		1143		20
Pond Street		3581		40
Vernon Street	1181			22
Lake Street	1000			20
Town Hall Avenue	569			14

Street	Tar Gals.	Oil Gals.	Cut-Back Gals.	Sand Cu. Yds.
Rogers Street	1134			22
Marsden Street	2028			34
Florence Avenue	900			18
Clyde Avenue	309			8
Bay State Road	800			12
Lee Street	1510			24
Chandler Street	2460			76
Foster Road	2467			20
Pine Street	1516			28
Bond Street	332			12
Birch Street	200			8
South Street	2390			42
Astle Street	1513			26
Town Yard	3993			283
Ice				230

PEA GRAVEL & PEA STONE

Street	Pea Grav. Tons	Pea Stone Tons
Shawsheen Street	138.1	
East Street	245	
Andover Street		148.90

GRAVEL

Street	Cu. Yds.	Street	Cu. Yds.
Livingston Street	241	North Street	222
Glenwood Avenue	78	Glenwood Road	1760
White Street	98	Myrtle Street	196
Maple Street	4	Laite Street	56
Trull Street	102	Pine Street	1792
Hood Road	62	Pinnacle Street	80
Boston Road	344	Whipple Road	540
State Street	18	Chandler Street	18
Marsden Street	10	Shawsheen Street	38
Pond Street	464	French Street	454
Texas Road	86	Walnut Street	28
Washington Street	74	Clark Road	30
East Street	24	Billerica Street	32
Veranda Avenue	394	Andover Street	106
Pringle Street	586	Woburn Street	97
Patten Street	1182		

CATCH BASINS & PIPE

New Catch Basins and Pipe were installed on the following streets:

Street		Location
East Street	Catch Basin	Near State Infirmary entrance
Whipple Road	Catch Basin	Near Ice House, cor. Pleasant Street
Pleasant Street	Catch Basin	Opposite High School
Pleasant Street	Catch Basin	Opposite High School
Andover Street	Catch Basin	Near Hillton Residence
Andover Street	Catch Basin	Near Pleasant View Gardens
Andover Street	Catch Basin	Near Parsonage
Chandler Street	Catch Basin	Near Shedd Residence
Summer Street	Catch Basin	Near Ramsbotham Residence
Summer Street	Catch Basin	Near Ramsbotham Residence
Town Hall Avenue	Catch Basin	Near Common Street
Andover Street	795 Ft 12 In. Plain Concrete Pipe	
Pleasant Street	366 Ft 12 In. Plain Concrete Pipe	

CHAPTER 90 CONSTRUCTION

During the past two years the State and County has not set up any fund for Chapter 90 Construction, but we feel almost certain that this year an allotment will be granted for this work to the various cities and towns. We are, therefore, asking that $3,000.00 be appropriated for 90 Construction work on North Street, provided the State contributes $6,000.00 and the County $3,000.00, making a total of $12,000.00. We believe, after taking this matter up with the State Engineers, that this amount will be sufficient to complete the construction on North Street from Livingston Street to Main Street.

CHAPTER 90 MAINTENANCE

The usual maintenance of Chapter 90 highways was carried out under the provisions of this allotment. All of our Chapter 90 streets are in excellent condition. East Street was given a coat of cut-back asphalt and pea gravel from the Andover-Tewksbury line towards Tewksbury Center, a distance of approximately 7,000 feet. Shawsheen Street was treated likewise from Record's residence to the Billerica line, a distance of approximately 6,000 feet. Pea Stone was used to cover the asphalt on Andover Street from the Andover-Tewksbury line towards North Street, a distance of approximately 3,000 feet. We believe that this coating not only makes the road stand up better during the heavy traffic season, but provides a good non-skid protective coating. All of the other streets, which our Chapter 90 Maintenance includes, were bituminous treated.

CHAPTER 90 MAINTENANCE, ANDOVER STREET

We were very fortunate during the early part of October in securing a second allotment of $500 each, from the State and County to be matched with an equal sum of our own, which was used for the purpose of correcting the drainage problem on Andover Street, which has existed ever since the road was rebuilt a few years ago. Catch Basins were installed where we thought they would best prove their adequacy to take care of a large volume of water during the rainy seasons.

For a financial report of the department, we refer you to the auditor's report of highway expenditures.

In closing this report, our appreciation and thanks are extended to our Board of Selectmen, State and County officials, and engineers for their co-operation and untiring assistance.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS P. SAWYER,

CHESTER M. ROPER,

LOUIS O. BERUBE,

Road Commissioners
of Tewksbury.

DANIEL STERLING,
Superintendent of Streets.

In Memoriam

WILBUR KENNETH FOSS

Died July 16, 1940

Who Served as Assessor

1937 to 1940

ASSESSORS' REPORT

Value of land excluding Buildings Jan. 1, 1940	$ 854,473.00
Value of Buildings	2,028,485.00
Value of Personal Property	1,860,238.00
Value of Property December Assessment	5,000.00
Total Valuation for 1940	$4,748,196.00
Total Valuation for 1939	4,626,711.00
Gain in Valuation	121,485.00

TAX LEVY FOR 1940

State Tax	$ 11,200.00	
State Parks	231.01	
State Audit	788.02	
	$ 12,218.03	
County Tax	6,016.42	
County Hospital	1,309.48	
	7,325.90	
Overlays 1940	2,442.47	
Deficit in Overlays	9.80	
		$ 21,996.20

TOWN APPROPRIATIONS

Schools	$ 59,919.00
Street Lighting	5,970.00
Incidentals	900.00
Highways	16,000.00
School Loan No. 1 and Interest	5,017.50
School Loan No. 2 and Interest	1,041.25
Library	1,250.00
Police	6,000.00
Stationery and Printing	1,150.00
Board of Health	2,500.00
Park Commission	300.00
Tree Warden	1,500.00
Fire Department	5,000.00
Dept. of Public Welfare	14,000.00
Aid to Dependent Children	4,000.00
Bureau of Old Age Assistance	9,500.00
Town Hall	3,800.00

Assessors	2,500.00	
Vocational School	1,800.00	
Inspection of Meat and Animals	600.00	
Deficit in Welfare Charges	1,293.69	
Police Officer at Schools	360.00	
Clerk for Treasurer	500.00	
Board of Registrars	650.00	
Aid State and Military	2,500.00	
Interest on Loans	500.00	
Collection of Taxes	1,200.00	
Municipal Insurance	1,500.00	
Sealer of Weights and Measures	225.00	
Dog Officer	100.00	
Maintenance of Legion Hall	125.00	
Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths	1,500.00	
Auditor	700.00	
Town Clerk	750.00	
Tax Collector	1,500.00	
Selectmen	800.00	
Election Officers	150.00	
Road Commissioners	400.00	
Land Court Expenses	250.00	
W. P. A. Works	10,000.00	
Town Treasurer	1,300.00	
Maintenance Chapter 90	2,500.00	
School Committee	225.00	
Memorial Day	350.00	
John T. Gale, Salary for 1938	100.00	
Overdrafts		
Dependent Children 1939	205.50	
Welfare Dept. Accounts 1939	3,877.46	
Police Dept. Accounts 1939	137.66	
Fire Dept. Accounts 1939	241.55	
Tax Appeal Case	601.00	
Omission in 1938 Warrant	500.00	
Middlesex County Extension Service	50.00	
Fire Truck Chassis	1,500.00	
Total Amount to be Raised		$ 201,335.81

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND AVAILABLE FUNDS

Over Estimates on State Parks	$ 32.53
Soldiers Benefits	90.00
Income Tax	14,532.54
Corporation Tax	2,782.77
Reimbursement State Owned Land	3,352.44

Motor Vehicle Excise	5,500.00	
Licenses	2,400.00	
Fines	50.00	
Charities other than Federal Aid to Dependent Children	5,500.00	
Old Age Assistance	7,000.00	
General Government	4,120.00	
Schools	2,500.00	
Libraries	5.00	
Interest on Taxes and Assessments	1,790.00	
Veterans Exemption	47.54	
Estimated Receipts from Gas Tax	8,996.39	
Total		$ 58,699.21
Net Amount to be Raised on Property	$ 140,398.60	
Net Amount to be Raised on Polls	2,238.00	
Total Amount to be Raised		$ 142,636.60

AUTO EXCISE LEVY

Total Valuation on Automobiles		$ 259,120.00
Amount of Warrants to Collector	$ 7,352.85	
Amount Taken as Estimated Revenue	5,500.00	
Amount Abated	352.01	
Balance		$ 1,500.84

TABLE OF AGGREGATES

Number of Dwelling Houses Assessed	1,135
Number of Acres of Land	11,551
Horses	63
Cows	723
Neat Cattle	98
Swine	346
Sheep	14
Fowl	11,425
Foxes	14
Persons Assessed	2,028

EXEMPTED PROPERTY

First Congregational Church	$ 42,700.00
First Baptist Society	14,100.00
Oblate Fathers O. M. I.	33,300.00
Roman Catholic Archbishop	77,000.00
South Tewksbury M. E. Mission	5,500.00
Congregation Basai Shalon	2,250.00
Silver Lake Evangelical Association Inc.	17,000.00
Catholic Literary Association	2,250.00
Seraphic Seminary Mount St. Francis	500.00
Tewksbury Cemetery Corporation	11,400.00
Pine Hill Cemetery	1,000.00
Ladies Shawsheen Camping Club Assoc. Inc.	500.00
Women's Home and Foreign Missionary Society A. C. D.	100.00
Good Samaritans Missions Inc.	1,900.00
Lowell High Alumni Asso.	700.00

TOWN AND STATE PROPERTY EXEMPT

Fire Dept. and Legion Hall	$ 25,000.00
School	215,000.00
Public Library	12,000.00
Cemeteries	2,300.00
Highways Real and Personal	12,900.00
Public Parks	3,500.00
Scales	400.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures Equipment	1,500.00
Moth Department Equipment	1,700.00
Police Department	1,000.00
Land Reserved for Fire Protection	1,700.00
Town Hall	79,000.00
Property of Comm. of Mass. Chap. 59 Sec 5	
Personal	300,000.00
Buildings	4,000,000.00

Respectfully submitted,

BUZZELL KING,

PERCY L. HAINES,

AUSTIN F. FRENCH,

Board of Assessors.

TEWKSBURY POLICE DEPARTMENT
1940

CYRIL L. BARKER, Chief

CHESTER E. BURGESS	ROSS SARGENT
JOHN GRANEY	DANIEL J. SHEEHAN
GEORGE M. HAZEL	DANIEL D. STERLING
LAWRENCE K. KELLEY	JOSEPH A. VIVIER
ARTHUR LA FLUER	HARRY P. WILEY
LAUCHIE McPHAIL	

WILLIAM R. CARVER (Deceased)

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE

December 31, 1940

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I respectfully submit the annual report of the Tewksbury Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1940:

Total number of arrests—102.

	(M)	(F)	
Assault and battery	2		
Larceny	2		
Burglary	2		
Breaking, entering and larceny, night time	2		
Breaking, entering and larceny, day time..	1		
Drunkenness	81		
Non-support	3		
Absconding from State Infirmary	1		
Violation of motor laws	7		
Violation of illegitimate child act	1		
Lewdness		2	
Total	100	2	102

Disposition of cases:

Lowell District Court:

Guilty	81
Guilty and held for Superior Court	2
Not guilty	1
Dismissed for lack of prosecution	1
Released by Probation Officer	9
Committed to House of Correction or to State Farm	49
Fined	3
Placed on file or probation	33
Disposition pending	1
To State Hospital	1
Turned over to other Police Departments	6
Superior Court—Guilty and suspended sentence	2

Sessions District Court attended	98
Sessions Superior Court attended	4
Sessions Civil Court attended	13
Number telephone calls received at office	3109
Number telephone calls received at Chief's home	1162
Complaints received and investigated	481
Automobile accidents investigated	49
Messages delivered	42
Public functions policed	61
Funerals policed	11
Summons served	41
Dogs hit by automobiles	10
Private hearings held	13
Sudden deaths investigated	7
Investigated for and/or with other Departments	11
Doors, windows, etc., found open	11
State and/or Town Highway Departments notified of snow or ice on road surface	6
With agent of Humane Society	4
Persons admitted to Massachusetts State Infirmary	51
Transported for Welfare Department	6
Transported, to and/or from Hospital	7
Fires policed	4
Escaped patients of Boston State Hospital, captured and returned	1
Dog bite cases	12
Poles, wires down, street lights out, Lowell Electric notified	6
Lost animals	3
Messages delivered for Draft Board No. 11	7
Automobile transfers	71

Our School Patrol system is operating very successfully on its second year. Our records show no accidents involving any school children going to and from school during school hours. Again I express my appreciation to the teachers of our elementary schools for their interest shown in the carrying on of this patrol.

During the year a police officer has been on duty at the Foster School in the mornings, at noon recess and at afternoon dismissal. This procedure has slowed up the operation of vehicles for the protection of the school children. I wish to stress strongly the importance of having sufficient funds to continue this service which has been so helpful.

I feel at this time it is proper for me to commend Officer Daniel Sheehan for his splendid work in policing the safety at the Foster School.

It will be observed that I am asking $6,500 for the Police Department this year. An article does not appear in the warrant for a special appropriation to pay the officer on duty at the Foster School, $350 of the above amount will be set aside for his services, so that actually there is an increase asked for in the Police Appropriation of $150.

I wish to extend my thanks to the Board of Selectmen and the Citizenry of Tewksbury for their co-operation extended to me. I wish to thank my brother officers for their loyal support and the efficient manner in which they performed their duties.

Respectfully submitted,

CYRIL L. BARKER,

Chief of Police.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE TEWKSBURY PUBLIC LIBRARY

The trustees of the Public Library submit the following report:

Details of expenditures will be found in the report of the auditor.

Regular monthly meetings have been held with the exception of July and August.

This year the detailed list of books has been omitted from the town report as this represents a saving in printing of from $50 to $60.

The trustees take this opportunity of thanking our capable librarian, Miss Abbie Blaisdell, and her assistants for their continued help and cooperation.

The magazine circulation has grown enormously and it is a satisfaction to note that our magazine list compares favorably with lists of much larger libraries. The report of the librarian shows that 906 books have been added.

It is hoped that the request for $1,300.00 found in the warrant together with money received from the dog licenses be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

MARIAN E. FRENCH, Secretary,

HARRY PRIESTLEY,

EDGAR SMITH,

RUTH W. SMITH,

DOROTHY FITZGERALD,

HAROLD J. PATTEN,

Trustees Public Library.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

To the Trustees of the Tewksbury Public Library:

The following report is respectfully submitted:

There is a marked increase in the circulation of books at the Library. The increase is as follows: 927 volumes on Wednesday afternoons, 451 volumes on Wednesday evenings and 1,248 volumes on Saturdays.

The circulation of magazines remains about the same.

During the year books were borrowed from the State Library for study purposes.

The Library is open Wednesday afternoons from November till June from 1:45 to 4.

It is open Saturdays from 2 p. m. to 9 p. m. and Wednesday evenings from 7 to 8:30 except on Legal Holidays and during the annual vacation the last two Saturdays in August.

It was deemed advisable by the Board of Trustees to discontinue printing the list of books added during the year in the Town Report.

Nine hundred and six volumes were added during the year: Fiction, 471; Non-Fiction, 221; Juvenile, 214.

The co-operation of all patrons is requested in returning books and magazines when due.

CIRCULATION OF BOOKS AT THE LIBRARY

Wednesday Afternoons

Fiction	2011	Religion	4
History	14	Sociology	9
Literature	10	Science	15
Travel	23	Poetry	17
Arts	33	Philosophy	4
Biography	51	Total	2191

Wednesday Evenings

Fiction	3742	Religion	6
History	40	Sociology	18
Literature	13	Science	15
Travel	51	Poetry	9
Arts	74	Philosophy	3
Biography	60	Total	4031

Saturdays

Fiction	10,623	Religion	13
History	108	Sociology	48
Literature	14	Science	48
Travel	172	Poetry	48
Arts	151	Philosophy	30
Biography	144	Total	11,399

Wednesday and Saturdays, 17,621

Total Circulation Library and Districts, 19,348

CIRCULATION OF BOOKS IN DISTRICTS

Wamesit

Fiction	562	Religion	
History		Sociology	
Literature		Science	
Travel		Poetry	
Arts	1	Philosophy	
Biography	1	Total	564

Mrs. Randolph Fitzgerald

Fiction	585	Religion	5
History	10	Sociology	13
Literature	1	Science	2
Travel	21	Poetry	4
Arts	7	Philosophy	3
Biography	17	Total	668

Silver Lake Bakery

Fiction	495	Religion	
History		Sociology	
Literature		Science	
Travel		Poetry	
Arts		Philosophy	
Biography		Total	495

Total Circulation in Districts 1,727

CIRCULATION OF MAGAZINES

American	82
American Boy	41
American Cookery	34
American Girl	35
American Home	114
Atlantic Monthly	28
Better Homes and Gardens	91
*Child Life	95
Children's Playmate	71
Consumer's Digest	13
Cosmopolitan	57
Good Housekeeping	87
Harper's	35
House Beautiful	114
Hygeia	26
Jack and Jill	33
Ladies' Home Journal	45
Life	360
McCall's	68
*National Geographic	122
Opportunity	4
Pictorial Review	2
*Popular Mechanics	126
*Reader's Digest	74
Scribner's	7
Wee Wisdom	13
Woman's Home Companion	43
Others	16
Total	1836

* 2 Copies.

ABBIE M. BLAISDELL,

Librarian.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

The year 1940 has been a very hard year on public funds in regard to Public Welfare.

Owing to poor business conditions and unemployment, the demand on Welfare during January, February and March was very heavy, 40% of the appropriation was used in these three months.

In April the reduction in quota on W. P. A. caused a large number of families to apply for Welfare Assistance and they were aided for nearly six months, at a period of the year which is normally lightest in demand upon welfare resources, this added load practically exhausted the appropriation making it necessary to call a Special Town Meeting for more funds.

October saw a marked increase in employment which continued into November and December with the result that in December we expended less than in any month during the year; coming at a time when the case load is usually the heaviest. This decline gives rise to the thought that 1941 will see more employment and naturally less aid will have to be given.

Tewksbury has not been alone in added Welfare costs. Our bills from other cities and towns for Tewksbury settled cases has shown a decided increase this past year.

Taking into consideration the rise in employment and the effect on business of the National Defense Program for the coming year, we are asking for an appropriation of less than last year, or $12,000.

The following is a recapitulation of the families and persons represented, aided by the Welfare Department of this town for the year 1940:

	Families	Persons
Town settled cases aided in Tewksbury	57	180
Town settled cases aided by other cities and towns	17	65
Aided in Tewksbury, settled elsewhere or not settled	55	204
Hospitalization, members of above families		16
Hospitalization, cases receiving no other relief	10	10
Total	139	475

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Welfare Appropriation	$ 13,000.00	
Investigation Fund transferred to Direct Welfare	1,000.00	
Transferred to Welfare from Surplus Overlays	1,500.00	
Total available		$ 15,500.00
Expended for Direct Relief		15,497.28
Balance		2.22

Received as Reimbursement for aid granted to cases with settlements elsewhere:

Town of North Andover	$ 208.00	
Town of Billerica	62.26	
Town of Lexington	16.00	
Town of Tyngsboro	2.66	
Town of Wilmington	401.01	
City of Cambridge	6.17	
City of Chelsea	267.27	
City of Gloucester	13.50	
City of Everett	302.30	
City of Lowell	330.13	
City of Malden	232.50	
City of Medford	23.50	
City of Melrose	21.00	
Total from Cities and Towns		$ 1,886.30
Commonwealth of Massachusetts		3,082.43
Total receipts		4,968.73

There is due from the following sources:

Town of Billerica	$ 107.43
Town of Dracut	5.00
Town of North Andover	113.00
Town of Wilminghton	82.54
City of Boston	235.53
City of Chelsea	340.87
City of Lawrence	54.00
City of Lowell	298.75

City of Malden	11.50	
City of Medford	150.72	
Total due from Cities and Towns		$ 1,399.34
Estimated from the Commonwealth		1,181.91
Total due		2,581.25

REPORT OF AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

At the present time there is a case load of nine families, representing twenty-six persons aided under this division. The W. P. A. policy continues to be in favor of removing mothers eligible for this type of assistance from their work rolls, believing it to be to the children's advantage for the mother to be at home.

We anticipate an increase of three cases for the coming year. It is estimated that an appropriation of $3,500 will be necessary for the operation of this department.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

ADC Appropriation, Town Funds	$ 4,000.00	
Expended	3,988.92	
Balance		$ 11.08
Aid to Dependent Children only:		
Federal Funds carried forward from 1939	$ 11.21	
Federal Funds received 1940	2,027.66	
Total avaiable	2,038.87	
Expended	1,338.00	
Balance carried forward to 1941		$ 700.87
Administration only:		
Federal Funds carried forward from 1939	$ 3.10	
Federal Funds received 1940	37.08	
Total available	40.18	
Expended	40.18	
No balance		

Reimbursement from the Commonwealth of $1,676.71 was received under check dated January 2, 1941, and will be credited as a 1941 receipt, balance of year estimated $927.08.

BUREAU OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

The case load for this department on January 1, 1940 was fifty-six persons. During the year twenty-nine applications were received. Of these, twenty-seven were approved and two rejected. Nineteen cases were closed during the year by reason of death, removal to other cities and towns, or for other reasons, leaving a case load of sixty-four persons on December 31, 1940. There was a turnover of forty-eight cases for the year.

It is estimated that the town's share of expenses for 1941 will amount to $13,000, and that appropriation is requested.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Town appropriation, Old Age Assistance only	$ 9,500.00	
Transferred from Aid, State and Military	600.00	
Total available	10,100.00	
Expended	10,098.54	
Balance		$ 1.46
Federal Funds carried forward from 1939	$ 1,174.23	
Federal Grants, Old Age Assistance only	9,373.65	
Total available	10,547.88	
Expended	10,546.33	
Balance carried forward to 1941		$ 1.55
Federal Grants, Administration only	$ 315.87	
Expended	315.87	
Reimbursements received:		
Town of Arlington	$ 60.56	
Town of Chelmsford	50.00	
Town of Stoneham	70.83	
Town of Wilmington	215.24	
City of Lowell	48.58	
City of Lynn	79.50	
City of Malden	60.00	
Total received, Cities and Towns		$ 584.71
Reimbursed by individuals		67.22
Received from Commonwealth		6,040.20
Total received		6,692.13

There is due from the following sources:

Town of Arlington	$ 46.90	
City of Boston	251.81	
City of Malden	35.00	
City of Lowell	35.25	
City of Lynn	35.00	
City of Revere	35.67	
Total due from Cities and Towns		$ 439.53
Estimated due from Commonwealth		4,479.93
Total due		4,919.46

The total cost to the Town for all forms of relief has been $29,584.74. We have succeeded in collecting from various sources $11,660.86 making a net cost of Aid to Dependent Children, Welfare, and Old Age Assistance of $17,923.88.

Respectfully submitted,

DUNCAN J. CAMERON,
IRVING F. FRENCH,
BERNARD H. GREENE.

TABLE OF ESTIMATES FOR 1941

Street Lighting	$ 6,000.00
Incidentals	1,000.00
Highways	17,000.00
Schools	60,225.00
Library (Dog Tax)	1,300.00
Police	6,500.00
Stationery and Printing	1,150.00
Board of Health	3,000.00
Park Commission	650.00
Tree Warden	1,500.00
Department of Public Welfare	12,000.00
Aid to Dependent Children (Plus Federal Grants)	3,500.00
Bureau of Old Age Assistance (Plus Federal Grants)	13,000.00
Fire Department	5,000.00
Town Hall	5,000.00
Assessors	2,300.00
Vocational School	800.00
Inspection of Meats and Animals	600.00
Aid, State and Military	2,500.00
Interest on Loans	250.00
Collection of Taxes	1,200.00
Municipal Insurance	1,500.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	225.00
Dog Officer	100.00
Maintenance, Legion Headquarters	125.00
Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths	1,500.00
Board of Registrars	1,281.00

SALARY ACCOUNT

Auditor	$ 700.00
Town Clerk (exclusive of fees)	750.00
Tax Collector	1,500.00
Selectmen	800.00
Election Officers	100.00
School Committee	225.00
Road Commissioners	400.00
Treasurer	1,300.00

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF APPRAISERS

Moth and Tree Warden Departments

January 1, 1941	$ 1,298.27
January 1, 1940	1,269.90
Net Gain	28.37

Highway Department

January 1, 1941	$ 11,535.75
January 1, 1940	10,499.25
Net Gain	1,056.50

WPA Property

1 Dodge Truck (1936)	$ 250.00
1 Ford Truck (1935)	200.00
1 G. M. C. Truck (1935)	200.00
Sewing Machines and Equipment	250.00
Wheelbarrows	12.00
Axes, Shovels, Miscellaneous Tools	175.00
Office Equipment, Forms, etc.	35.00
1 Conant Loader	300.00
Total January 1, 1941	$ 1,437.00
Total January 1, 1940	992.00
Net Gain	$ 445.00

Respectfully submitted,

IRVING F. FRENCH,

BERNARD H. GREENE,

DUNCAN J. CAMERON,

Appraisers.

MIDDLESEX COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE

This is a report of work done in Tewksbury during 1940 by the Middlesex County Extension Service:

Farmers have been assisted through farm visits by the county agent in pasture improvement, emergency crops, milk market problems, replacement cattle and farm program planning. The Robert Lacy farm is co operating with the soil conservation service in the project for erosion control and water conservation.

Progress has been made in the analysis of the State Infirmary dairy herd. The Melvin Rogers farm and the State Infirmary herd are in the Dairy Herd Improvement Association. Mr. Victor Cluff is a member of the county dairy committee and vice-president of the Dairy Herd Improvement Association.

Poultrymen of Tewksbury were visited concerning their production problems. Several poultrymen of Tewksbury are keeping records in co-operation with the Extension Service.

Mr. M. D. Buchanan, Whipple Street, served on the Board of Directors of the Massachusetts Poultry Producers' Co-operative.

Spray schedules were sent to fruit growers before each spray, giving time of application and materials to use. Vegetable spray charts for the major crops were sent monthly during the growing season to the vegetable growers. Several farm visits were made, giving personal information on the growers' crops. Several meetings were held throughout the growing season in neighboring towns where growers could obtain any requested information.

Mrs. Gertrude Rutledge was the chairman of 4-H Club work during the year. The leaders were Mrs. M. Hodgson, Roland Bourdon, Ralph Battles, George Maclaren, Miss Mable Smith, Mrs. K. Sunbury, Miss M. Catherina. There were twenty-three boys and sixty girls enrolled in the following projects: conservation, home furnishing, clothing, stamps, garden, and handicraft.

The exhibit was held at the High School in conjunction with the Parent-Teacher Association, and was well attended. Mr. George Farley, State Club Agent, was a guest. Blue ribbons and pins were awarded to club members by the club agents.

Mrs. M. Hodgson and Mrs. Gertrude Rutledge attended the 4-H Leaders' Camp at the State College.

James Chandler was awarded half expenses to County Camp on his excellent garden work. He also received a cash prize from the Middlesex North Agricultural Society. Mary Freitas won recognition on her formal flower garden.

REPORT OF HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Chairman Greene and Members of the Tewksbury Board of Health:

I hereby make the following health report for the year ending December 31, 1940.

As is usually the case, when a contagious disease starts in this section of the state, we necessarily get our share of cases. This year we had to contend with measles. There were 70 cases reported and quarantined. Of the other reported diseases, diphtheria and scarlet fever are most feared. We were free of both. The former is being stamped out by preventative inoculation, as given in our clinics. I believe after the coming year that our cases for inoculation will come almost entirely from the pre-school group. Here I must speak of the wonderful co-operation of Miss Haines, our School Nurse, in this Board of Health work. She has spent many days on her own time doing health work, such as preparing and mimeotyping several hundred notices to parents for signed permissions. She has followed these up, when parents procrastinated, has attended all clinics, supervised the sterilization of instruments and apparatus and the aseptic care of all arms before and after injection. This is a most important procedure in the safety and success of such work and this was truly Health Department work without compensation. Again, but as we say, "off the record," this nurse has collected warm clothes and footwear on her own time to distribute to some of our less fortunate children during the winter months. I believe the time she has spent not required by her position as School Nurse, but covering both welfare and health wants, has been invaluable to the welfare of our people. I am now making a recommendation to the Board of Health, that compensation to the extent of one day a week, outside of her school work, for forty weeks, amounting to $200.00, be included in our health appropriation for the coming year, and appoint Miss Haines for that work. This suggestion is made by your agent and is made without the suggestion or even the knowledge of this nurse.

Again we must call attention to dog bite cases. They have been unusually frequent this past year and have cost the taxpayers for their quarantine. This expense is somewhat compensated for, if the dog has been duly licensed, but unlicensed dogs are a true liability and should be disposed of.

It is a fact that soil substratas in the Town of Tewksbury are well loaded with iron and it is difficult to get beyond it even in deep wells.

From a domestic point of view it is a hardship, but without other contamination is is not a health hazard. I advise all persons using dug wells to tightly cement a cap upon them, carrying it at least two feet below and a foot above the surface so that surface contamination cannot enter. This is the most constant reason given by the State Department for the condemning of a water supply.

Another somewhat new problem for us is the building of "overnite" camps in our town. Such proprietors would do well to first establish a passable water supply, as their permit to operate requires such a supply, as well as passable sanitary arrangements and drainage.

At last we have a "Town Dump." Through the courtesy and cooperation of Dr. Kelley and his Board we have been given the privilege of using the State Infirmary Dump, which is located off East Street and the entrance is near the Robinson home. This courtesy must be respected by our care in depositing rubbish and this should not include animal or vegetable refuse. There is a caretaker there who will instruct persons as to where he wishes waste to be placed.

HERBERT M. LARRABEE, M. D.,

Agent of the Board of Health.

REPORT OF WORK PROJECTS ADMINISTRATION

To the Board of Selectmen:

During the year 1940, the following projects have been worked upon:

FARM TO MARKET ROADS

Pine Street was completed. Astle Street—Curves cut, street widened to twenty feet and a heavy coat of gravel applied. Patten Street—Widened and a layer of gravel applied. Many short streets in the southerly part of the town were widened to twenty feet and at the present time we are applying gravel. The total length at present stripped, is 8,000 feet. All of the above work was on an "Improve Streets" program, which will operate until approximately May 30, 1941.

There is a balance of over $7,000 which is allotted to the widening of Trull Street, but cannot be used until bounds of that street are established. I recommend that this be done as soon as possible so that work can start on completion of the present project.

A drainage project was operated on Lee, East, Livingston and North Streets, involving the installation of twenty-nine catch basins and 5,000 feet of twelve-inch concrete pipe.

INSECT CONTROL

A rather extensive scouting project operated during the spring months for the control of insect pests also provided for the spraying of the roadsides and more easily reached forest areas, which were infested. It also provided for some work for eliminating choke cherry bushes infested with tent caterpillar.

ANDOVER STREET SIDEWALK

One thousand, two hundred and forty-one feet of sidewalk was built on the south side of Andover Street together with necessary retaining wall.

MISCELLANEOUS

The Sewing Project and White Collar projects have operated throughout the year.

At the present time two manual projects are operating, Gypsy Moth Control, and Road Improvement with a force of thirty-four men, besides this the Sewing Unit has at present eight persons assigned and seven persons have been assigned to a School Lunch Project which is to start at once.

The White Collar Project at the State Infirmary is still in operation and employs at present six persons. There are also two assigned to the Commodity Distribution Project, making a total of fifty-seven persons on W. P. A. payrolls.

The largest number at any one time on W. P. A. was ninety-four in March and the smallest personnel was forty-one in August.

For the purpose of estimating expenses for the current year, it is necessary to figure material costs for approximately 625 man months and about $15 per man month seems to be a fair average or a total of $9,000. This will provide for continuation of Farm to Market Roads, Sewing Project, provide for the town's share of costs of Commodity Distribution and for the material needed by the School Lunch Project, also for the building of approximately 8,000 feet of sidewalk with bituminous surface, along East, Pleasant, Chandler and Main Streets. It will also maintain the necessary office and contact work.

Respectfully submitted,

EVERETT H. KING,

Sponsor's Agent.

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

As Chief of the Fire Department, I herewith submit the following report:

Total Number of Fires Attended	122
Forest and Grass Fires	81
Chimney Fires	12
Building Fires	11
Automobile Fires	4
False Alarms	10
Out of Town Fires	4

Total value of buildings and contents: Seventeen thousand, six hundred and fifty dollars ($17,650).

Insurance paid: Seven thousand, seven hundred and fifty dollars ($7,750).

Damage: Seven thousand, four hundred and fifty-five dollars ($7,455).

Laid 3,350 feet of 2½-inch hose, 10,150 feet of 1½-inch hose, 25,100 feet of 1-inch hose and used 152 pump cans.

Raised 718 feet of ladders and traveled 459 miles to fires.

Personal property and real estate of the department, thirty-two thousand, five hundred dollars ($32,500).

Respectfully submitted,

ALDEN S. HAINES,

Chief of Fire Department

REPORT OF THE SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and Citizens:

The following is my first report as your Sealer of Weights and Measures for the year 1940:

Scales

Platform over 5000 lbs.	3
Platform 100 to 5000 lbs.	9
Counter under 100 lbs.	1
Beam under 100 lbs.	4
Spring 100 lbs. or over	2
Spring under 100 lbs.	20
Computing under 100 lbs.	8
Personal weighting	0
Avoirdupois	47

Measuring Devices

Gasoline Pumps, No. of Stops .....Sealed	25
Gasoline Pumps, No. of Stops .....Not Sealed	9
Gasoline Meters	20
Kerosene Pumps	4
Grease Pumps	3
Quantity Measures on Pumps	5
Amount Collected and Turned Over to Treasurer.....	$28.41

Respectfully submitted,

VICTOR N. CLUFF,

Sealer of Weights and Measures

REPORT OF THE TREE WARDEN

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

As Tree Warden I submit the following report:

Brush was cut on every street, curves were cut back much further than in former years, all large brush was trucked to the town lot in the centre and burned.

All trees considered dangerous were removed and about 50 stumps pulled.

One hundred and six Norway Pines given to the town by Mr. William Roulard have been planted on the streets.

Have been unable to get a W. P. A. tree trimming and cavity filling project started owing to laying off of experienced men through cuts in quota and so-called 30 day layoffs, etc.

There are many broken limbs hanging in our trees since the hurricane and must be removed as they are a real menace to the traveling public. This department needs at least $1,500.00 for the coming year.

Yours Respectfully,

HARRIS M. BRIGGS,

Tree Warden

REPORT OF THE MOTH SUPERINTENDENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

As agents for the suppression of the Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths, I submit the following:

The Gypsy Moths are still increasing and following a survey of the woodlands after the spraying season there are about 8,000 of our 13,000 acres very heavily infested. There were about 200 acres of woodland trees total and 400 partially defoliated.

During the winter of '39 and '40 a crew of W. P. A. men, under supervision of this department, treated over 250,000 egg clusters with creosote. When you consider these nests average about 300 eggs, an 80% hatch would be 240 caterpillars to a nest it means millions were destroyed by this method. There is a 50% decrease of tent caterpillars owing to cresoting in the early spring together with remaining wild cherry bushes and trees (their favorite food and nesting places).

The Elm Leaf Beetles were very plentiful and considerable trouble experienced in keeping them from stripping our elms. The rains coming just at the time they were feeding the heaviest and weakening the spray solution before it had set allowed them to keep right on feeding after the season was over.

No Brown Tail Moth webs were found and seem under suppression by parasite and fungus disease.

A truck was bought and used in hauling the sprayer, which was a great help in spraying our 64 miles of roads and about 200 acres of woodlands.

Much more spraying should be done and the elms sprayed a second time to suppress the beetles.

Fifteen hundred dollars should be appropriated for this department.

Yours Respectfully,

HARRIS M. BRIGGS,

Moth Superintendent

REPORT OF THE PARK COMMISSIONERS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

As Park Commissioners we submit the following:

During the summer the commons were raked, grass mowed and walks recut.

The bandstand was painted and signs placed to let travelers know they are in Tewksbury. A well has been driven, an electric pump bought and will be installed in the spring with a drinking fountain.

The top mast of the flagpole has been painted two coats of aluminum. When the painter started on the main mast he discovered a very bad rotten section 14 by 6 inches, 8 inches deep. We considered it dangerous so removed the top mast. It should be replaced, or repaired if possible. The lowest estimate received from five different flagpole firms is $525.

Colored lights were strung on the bandstand at Christmas time and were kept lit till New Year's. We recommend an appropriation of $650.00.

Yours respectfully,

THOS. C. McAUSLAND,

WALTER ROBERTS,

HARRIS M. BRIGGS,

Park Commissioners

REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF MEATS AND PROVISIONS

To the Board of Selectmen, Town of Tewksbury:

Gentlemen:

Following is my report for the inspection of meats and provisions for the year of 1940 from January 1 to December 31, 1940.

Number of sides of Beef inspected	1150
Number of Calves inspected	972
Number of Hogs inspected	1889
Number of Sheep inspected	128

Cattle condemned:

Number of sides of Beef condemned	14
Number of Heads condemned	7
Number of sets of Lungs	9
Number of Livers condemned	14

Swine condemned:

Number of swine condemned	49
Number of Heads condemned	59
Number of sets of Lungs condemned	49
Number of Livers condemned	63

Calves condemned:

Number of Veals condemned	40
Number of Sheep condemned	3

Respectfuly submitted,

ASAHEL H. JEWELL,

Inspector of Meats and Provisions.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

To the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Tewksbury:

Gentlemen:

Following is the report of the Inspector of Animals from January 1 to December 31, 1940.

Cows inspected	842
Young cattle inspected	159
Bulls inspected	30
Sheep inspected	1
Hogs inspected	1,865
Goats inspected	13
Stables inspected	79

I have released for immediate slaughter 85 head of cattle.

For dairy purposes 161 head of cattle and 34 calves.

Ten dogs were quarantined for rabies and released at the end of 14 days.

Inspected 1 barn after state test.

Quarantined 1 cow for lump jaw.

Respectfully submitted,

ASAHEL H. JEWELL,
Inspector of Animals.

WARRANT FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Middlesex, ss:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury in said County:

Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town Affairs, to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury on Wednesday, February 5, 1941 at twelve o'clock noon, to act on the following articles:

ART. 1. To choose all necessary Town Officers, to choose by ballot a Moderator, Town Clerk, three Selectmen, three members of the Board of Public Welfare, three members of the Board of Health, a Town Treasurer, an Auditor, a Collector of Taxes, a Tree Warden and three Constables, all to serve one year; one Highway Commissioner to serve three years; one member of the School Committee to serve three years, one member of the School Committee to serve one year, two Trustees of the Public Library to serve three years; one Park Commissioner to serve three years; one Assessor to serve three years; one Commissioner of Trust Fund to serve three years.

The polls for the election of Town Officers to be opened at twelve noon and to be closed at 8 P. M.

And you are also hereby further required and directed to notify and warn the said inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, who are qualified to vote on elections and Town affairs, therein to assemble subsequently and meet in Town Meeting at the Town Hall in said Town of Tewksbury on Wednesday, February 12, 1941, at seven-thirty o'clock P. M., then and there to act on the following articles:

ART. 2. To hear reports of Town Officers and Committees and act thereon.

ART. 3. To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise by taxation to defray necessary expenses for the current year, and make appropriations for the same.

ART. 4. To see if the Town will vote the money arising from licensing dogs, for the ensuing year to aid in support of the Public Library.

ART. 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1941 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

VOTED: That the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1941 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ART. 6. To see what regulations the Town will make for the possession, management and sale of land sold for unpaid taxes and for the assignment of Tax Titles not inconsistent with law or with the right of redemption as provided by Sec. 52 of Chap. 60 of the General Laws as amended by Sec. 3 of Chapter 126 of the Acts of 1927, and to see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for the enforcement of such rules and regulations.

ART. 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $350.00 for the proper observance of Memorial Day, and appoint a committee to expend the money. Said committee to be taken from members of Spanish War Veterans, American Legion, or Sons of Veterans.

ART. 8. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to institute suits on behalf of the Town or defend any suits that are, or may be brought against the Town, and to sign any contracts or agreements in behalf of the Town.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum sufficient to pay the County of Middlesex, as required by law, the Town's share of the net cost of the care, maintenance, and repair of the Middlesex County Tuberculosis Hospital, as assessed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 111 of the General Laws and Acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto including Chapter 400, Section 25 G (6) (a) of the Acts of 1936 or take any action in relation thereto.

ART. 10. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell, after first giving notice of the time and place of sale by posting such notice of sale in some convenient and public place in the town fourteen days at least before the sale, property taken by the town under tax title procedure provided that the selectmen or whomsoever they may authorize to hold such public auction may reject any bid which they deem inadequate, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Board of Selectmen to sell any parcel or parcels of land acquired by the Town through Tax Title foreclosure proceedings whose Tax Title value is less than $40.00, for whatever sum it may be in their judgment to the best interest of the Town, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 12. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen and the Treasurer to foreclose either through the Land Court or by affidavit of the Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation, any Tax Title held by the Town for more than two years, and to see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate therefor or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,500.00 for the Maintenance of Chapter 90, highways: said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be alloted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 14. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to establish a Road Machinery Fund for the purpose of purchasing, repairing, and operating road machinery, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 15. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Road Machinery Account, to which shall be accredited all receipts received for the use of rental of road machinery, the proceeds to be appropriated as voted by the Town for road machinery purposes, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 16. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate for Road Machinery purposes, all sums paid in, or to be paid in, to the Road Machinery Fund and authorize and empower the Treasurer to transfer from the Road Machinery Fund to the Road Machinery Account all such sums.

ART. 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,000.00 or any other sum for the improvement of North Street; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 18. To see if the Town will vote to accept Wilson Road, from South Street to Madeline Road, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 19. To see if the Town will vote to accept Idle Wild Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 20. To see if the Town will vote to accept Pinedale Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 21. To see if the Town will vote to accept Court Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 22. To see if the Town will vote to accept Lawson Avenue as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 23. To see if the Town will vote to accept Murray Avenue as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 24. To see if the Town will vote to accept Pratt Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 25. To see if the Town will vote to accept Guile Avenue, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 26. To see if the Town will vote to accept Martin Road, from Guile Avenue to Lawson Avenue, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurement as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 27. To see if the Town will vote to accept Oak Street, from White Street to South Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 28. To see if the Town will vote to accept Dudley Road, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 29. To see if the Town will vote to accept Kittridge Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 30. To see if the Town will vote to locate a light on Bridge Street opposite the home of Rose Levine, or take any other action.

ART. 31. To see if the Town will vote to locate a light at the junction of School and South Streets and appropriate money for same, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 32. To see if the Town will vote to locate a light at the junction of Clyde Avenue and Vernon Street and appropriate money for same, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 33. To see if the Town will vote to locate a light on South Street, between Foster's Corner and Brown Street, and appropriate money for same or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 34. To see if the Town will vote to locate a light at the junction of Maplewood Avenue and Adams Street and appropriate money for same, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 35. To see if the Town will vote to locate a light on Florence Avenue, near the Wilmington line, and appropriate money for same or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 36. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000 to be used as a revolving fund to finance the Food Stamp Plan, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 37. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $646.02 to reimburse other cities and towns for unpaid Welfare bills of 1940, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 38. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $836.98 to reimburse other cities and towns, and the State Department of Public Welfare, for unpaid Welfare bills of 1939, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 39. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $209.38 to pay the following bills of 1940: Police $86.94, Vocational School $37.70, Tree Warden $3.00, Legion Hall $6.16, Moth Department $14.58, and Board of Health $61.00 or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 40. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a committee of five, to consist of three members of the Shcool Board elected at the annual meeting and two to be appointed by the moderator, to investigate the advisability of making an addition to the Shawsheen School or the advisability of making alterations to the Spaulding School, such committee to report to the Town at a special town meeting to be held not later than April 21, 1941, and to appropriate $100 for the expenses of said committee or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 41. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding $350 for repairs to and maintenance of the athletic field and structures thereon at the high school and for the maintenance of athletics at the high school.

ART. 42. To see if the Town will create a committee of three, one to be a member of the school board for the time being and two to be appointed annually by the moderator with full power over the maintenance, repair and upkeep of the athletic field and structures thereon at the high school and with full power to enact regulations for the use of said field or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 43. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a Stadium Commission to be composed of three men who will serve until replaced. Said Commission to have full jurisdiction over the Tewksbury Stadium or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 44. To see if the Town will vote to widen and repair Rogers Street from Pike Street to Whipple Road, make appropriation for same or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 45. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for a reserve fund under Section 6 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws or take any other action thereto.

ART. 46. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate to be used in conjunction with Federal Funds for Work Projects Administration expenses for the year 1941 or take any action relative to same.

ART. 47. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for the purpose of installing a Lunch Room at the Foster School, including the purchase of necessary equipment or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 48. To see if the Town will vote to accept Section 6B, Chapter 40, of the General Laws, Tercentenary Edition—"A city or town which accepts this section may appropriate money for the purchase of uniforms for members of its Police and Fire Departments,"—recommending

not more than $100 to be spent for uniforms in a given year for each department, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 49. To raise and appropriate the sum of $125.00 for maintainence of the Legion Quarters.

ART. 50. To see what action the town will take in procuring a steel flag pole for the Common and putting the care of the flag in the hands of the Selectmen.

ART. 51. To see if the Town will vote to increase the salary of the Assessors from $3.50 to $4.00 per day.

ART. 52. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $200 for clerical assistance in the office of the Town Treasurer for the year of 1941 or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 53. To see if the Town will vote to repeal the existing by-law passed by the Town February 8, 1933 whereby 5% of registered voters who voted at the last annual town meeting necessary for a quorum or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 54. To see if the Town will prescribe by by-law the number of voters necessary to constitute a quorum at Town meetings according to Section 13 of Chapter 39 of the General Laws or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 55. To see if the Town will vote to increase the salary of the Board of Selectmen $100.00 for each member or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 56. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $50.00 in support of the Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture, through he Middlesex County Extension Service, and elect a director. Said money to be spent under the direction of the local director, or take any other action relative thereto.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and leave one hundred copies for the use of the citizens at

the Post Offices in said Town, 8 days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid:—

Given under our hands, this 14th day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and forty-one.

IRVING F. FRENCH,
BERNARD H. GREENE,
DUNCAN J. CAMERON,
} Selectmen of Tewksbury.

A true copy attest:

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Constable of Tewksbury.

Annual Report

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF THE

TOWN OF TEWKSBURY

Also Report of
Superintendent of Schools

For the Year Ending December 31,

1940

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Mrs. Mary L. Larrabee	1940-1943	Chairman	Tewksbury, Mass.
J. Harper Gale	1938-1941		Tewksbury, Mass.
*Austin F. French	1939-1942	Secretary	Tewksbury, Mass.
Ralph Battles			No. Tewksbury, Mass.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Stephen G. Bean — Wilmington, Mass.

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Herbert M. Larrabee — Tewksbury, Mass.

SCHOOL NURSE

Miss Edith E. Haines — Tewksbury, Mass.

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

Harry Wiley — Tewksbury, Mass.

* Mr. French resigned and was succeeded by Mr. Ralph Battles for the unexpired term. Mr. Gale was made secretary of the Committee.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The work and supervision in the schools has been carried on as usual.

Necessary repairs have been made in all of the school buildings.

The plaster ceiling in one of the rooms in the Foster School was replaced with a metal one. Corridors in the Ella E. Fleming and Shawsheen Schools were repainted.

At a Special Town Meeting in May of last year the sum of $3,500 was appropriated for the purpose of renovating the heating systems of the Foster and Shawsheen Schools. The sum of $3,065.58 was expended for this work. A new boiler was installed and a new chimney erected at the Foster School. The new system was a proven success when given a severe test in sub-zero temperatures A new chimney was erected at the Shawsheen School and necessary repairs made in the heating system. The coal gas condition was definitely cleared up as a result of these repairs.

ESTIMATED EXPENSES FOR THE SCHOOL DEPARTMENT FOR 1941

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Superintendent	$ 877.00
Supervisors	1,020.00
Teachers	17,250.00
Janitors	3,292.00
Transportation	6,000.00
Fuel	1,200.00
Books and Supplies	1,500.00
Health	1,500.00
Insurance	726.00
District	150.00
Miscellaneous	800.00
Repairs	1,200.00
	$ 35,515.00

HIGH SCHOOL

Supervisors	$ 470.00	
Teachers	14,700.00	
Janitor	1,300.00	
Transportation	2,900.00	
Fuel	700.00	
Books and Supplies	1,400.00	
Miscellaneous	2,000.00	
Equipment and Repairs	1,000.00	
Insurance	240.00	
		$ 24,710.00
Total		$ 60,225.00

Respectfully submitted,

MAY L. LARRABEE, Chairman,

RALPH S. BATTLES,

J. HARPER GALE.

TEWKSBURY SCHOOL REPORT

Madam and Gentlemen:

Herewith I submit my tenth annual report as Superintendent of Schools for the Town of Tewksbury.

The demand for speed in the preparation of parts of this report may lead to some slight inaccuracies. The reports of the various members of the department are presented exactly as submitted. My own personal report is cut to a minimum as is customary of late years.

The general condition of the system is somewhat better than last year. The congestion is not as great and classes are of more normal proportions. There are spots in the elementary grades where children are not yet up to the standard for their grade due to health conditions or epidemics of previous years. These conditions occur periodically and are apparently unavoidable. If it were possible it would be desirable to have the major part of some classes repeat the year in which an epidemic had occurred. This is impossible because of lack of housing facilities. There is always the pressure of oncoming classes to force some pupils along who should really be retarded. Of course retardation is not relished by some parents, but in the long run it is much better for the children; in some cases even preventing very serious physical and mental conditions when they grow older. If parents would only trust the teacher as they do the physician I believe many cases of physical and mental suffering could be avoided. Parents seldom realize the close relation between physical and mental hygiene.

The teaching personnel is substantially the same as that of last year. Changes during the summer vacation occurred in the Ella Flemings School, where Miss Lyness resigned to be married and was succeeded by Miss Dorothy Ogston, a local girl who was graduated from Lowell Teachers' College last June. Miss Hazel Lambert, one of our strong teachers who had charge of the fifth grade in the Shawsheen School, was lured from Tewksbury by the better salary schedule of the Town of Lynnfield. This loss of good teachers because of our low salary schedule is one of our greatest handicaps.

In the High School there was an inconvenient shuffle due to the successive resignations of Mr. Maria and Mr. Shaheen. This has now been steadied by the election of Miss Doris Groesbeck of Lawrence to the control of the English Department. Miss Groesbeck has an unusually good collegiate training in English and has had several years of valuable experience both in English and in Dramatics.

During the fall Mr. McSheehy secured a Civil Service appointment which could pay much more than he was receiving, and at his request was granted a leave of absence for the year. Mr. McGowan took over the Science Department and Miss Elizabeth Mulry is handling Mr. McGowan's former classes on a substitute basis. The High School faculty seems in a very excellent condition.

Several important repair problems have been attacked and, we hope, solved during the year. The heating plant of the Foster School was completely overhauled even to a new chimney. A complete new heater and stoker were installed and some changes made in the piping. There has been no real opportunity as yet to test the result of the change but there are indications of some degree of success already observable. The problem in this building has been as much a problem of circulation of air in some rooms as it was of securing heat.

In the Shawsheen School, chimney repairs were also found necessary due to leakage of gas into the classrooms. We believe the remedy has also been effective here.

While there has been a slight decrease in numbers of children in school since the summer vacation, the chief problem facing us is one of school accommodations. The school enrollment in small towns throughout the nation is tending to decrease in cities and correspondingly increase in the small towns nearby such cities. This is shown to be true by a nation-wide survey. This fact is putting a burden on all small communities to provide educational facilities for these new arrivals. While it is true that the national birth rate has decreased it would seem that the fact had not yet become known in the small towns.

Observation indicates that the place we need to prepare for this trend is in the Shawsheen School. Growth is evident in the section of the town which this school services. During the past year, seven new dwellings have appeared to view on Salem Road alone. What is happening and will happen in the Silver Lake section is wholly problematical, but from recent experience likely to be sudden influxes of rather large families.

In view of the fact that it seems likely that some large expenditures must be made to continue the Spaulding School in service, it would seem more logical not to waste any more money on this building which is so poorly adapted to modern school uses, but rather to build an addition to the Shawsheen School large enough to take care of all eight elementary grades from this section. This would give room for the first grade children from the central part and from Wamesit, in the Foster School.

Physical conditions are not at all satisfactory in the Spaulding School. The heating plant is not in good condition and we are told that the only way to make it satisfactory is by installing a new plant. The toilet facilities are also very bad and a complete new sanitary installation would be the proper solution. These items would prove expensive since there is a tearing down as well as a rebuilding problem in the process of which other difficulties might appear. It is common experience that repair jobs often are more costly than new construction.

I strongly recommend that consideration be given at once to the problem of satisfactory and adequate school housing in the south part of the town. It is poor business to wait until an emergency is actually in existence before making any plans to meet it. It seems most evident that a difficult problem may arise here at any time.

The activities of the school physician and the school nurse continue their usual effective way. Required examinations are carried out carefully and expeditiously. The teamwork is excellent. Various clinics for prevention of disease are held and careful checkups are made. The nurse keeps watch for chances to get clinical help in the removal of diseased tonsils, the relief of poor vision, and care for the teeth. Attention is called to the reports of these two officials which show the care being taken to improve the physical conditions of school children.

The work in music and art is under the same direction as last year. Definite progress is evident as shown by the work publicly displayed.

The most notable public evidence of work in these departments is that of the various high school musical groups in their local concert, and in the State regional festivals, where improved ratings were gained in the current year.

The most pressing need throughout most of the elementary school rooms is for new seating. Many parents of high school pupils could probably find record of their own school days on many of the desks still in use. Chairs too are not in the best of condition or repair. I would advocate the complete renovation of at least one room each year for several years until we have desks and chairs in reasonably good condition in every school room in town. There should also be supplied several new teacher's desks and chairs with a few additional chairs available for visitors.

The co-operation of the Parent-Teacher's Association is of value to the system. Their interest and helpfulness is of great value as an encouragement to teachers and an added incentive to pupils. It is a pity that this organization does not include every parent in the town who has children in school.

During the year the elementary teachers have collected material for a course of study which fits our local needs and conditions. This material is in the course of editing and taken with similiar material in the other towns in the district where the work is practically the same will be produced as a course of study for this superintendency district. I wish to thank the teachers for their interest and co-operation in this important work.

To all of my associates, School Committee, teaching staff, supervisors and health officers I extend cordial appreciation for help in maintaining a high standard for our local schools.

Respectfully submitted,

STEPHEN G. BEAN,

Superintendent of Schools.

Wilmington, Mass., January 6, 1940.

REPORT OF THE HEADMASTER

Tewksbury High School — January 1941

To the School Committee of the Town of Tewksbury:

Tewksbury High School began its sixth year in September, 1940, and, during the first term, had a record enrollment of 249 students. When the school started in 1935, the registration totalled 203, so that there has been an increase of about 25 per cent since that time.

The number of students who have registered so far this year is divided by classes as follows:

Freshmen	77
Juniors	74
Sophomores	52
Seniors	37
Post Graduates	9
Total	249

The division of students according to the courses for which they registered was as follows:

Commercial	83	College	52
General	54	Manual Training	12
Nurses's Training	18	Teacher's College	5
Home Economics	16	Post Graduates	9

There was one change in the high school teaching force during the summer of 1940 when Miss Doris Groesbeck became head of the English Department. During the fall, Mr. Donald McSheehy was given a leave of absence to take a government position. His place on the faculty is being filled by Miss Elizabeth Mulry, who served as cadet and substitute teacher last year.

In June, 1940, the high school held its fifth annual commencement exercises and 44 graduates were awarded their diplomas. The following were presented diplomas by Mrs. May Larrabee, Chairman of the School Board:

Meyer Abrams
Jeanette Aubut
John Barker
Loretta Barret
Violet Bekshaw
Ralph Bennett
Pauline Boisvert
Betty Brabantz
Helen Carter
Mary Casey
Ruth Cooney
John Cooney
Salvadore DeAngelo
Lillian Dewing
Donald French
Albert Gillissen
Martin Haas
Norma Haines
Irene Hogan
Etta Huddell
Joseph Hughes
Beatrice James
Margaret Lawler
Helen Liakos
Julia Lisay
Theresa Mackey
Daniel MacKillop
Margaret MacLellan
James Whittet
Eileen Manning
Marguerite Marsden
Joseph McNulty
John Merrill
Florence Mills
Queena Millett
Lawrence Norton
Mary Ogston
Margaret O'Rourke
Doris Otto
Gloria Roux
Francis Sheehan
Mabel Smith
Lena Suslovitch
Helen Symonds

SPECIAL HONORS

Valedictory, Martin Haas

Salutatory, Meyer Abrams

The May L. Larrabee Scholarship Awards
MARTIN HAAS, VIOLET BEKSHAW

The Balfour Award
BEATRICE JAMES

The Melvin Rogers Baseball Award
JOE McNULTY

The Melvin Rogers Football Award
JOE McNULTY

The Melvin Rogers Basketball Award
SALVADORE DE ANGELO

The Sons of the American Revolution History Medal
SOPHIE LIEGAKOS

The Parent-Teachers' Association Medal
RUTH COONEY

The Daughters of the American Revolution Good Citizenship Award
RUTH COONEY

Class President, Francis Sheehan

Class Marshall, Ralph Bennett

JUNIOR USHERS

Sadie MacLellan, Joyce Scammel, Arthur Powell and Jack Cameron

In June of 1940, Tewksbury High School was awarded for the fifth consecutive time the Class A certificate issued by the State Department of Education.

The extra curricular high-light of the school year 1939-40 was the excellent showing made by the Tewksbury High School Glee Clubs at the annual Music Festival at Wellesley. The Tewksbury clubs won the following awards:

The Junior-Senior Girls' Glee Club was the winner of the First Division rating in Class C, and also received special commendation for the Club's soloist, Nancy Trickey.

The Mixed Chorus was the winner of the First Division rating in Class C.

Athletics form an important part of the school's activity program and, since the management of athletic events involves the handling of a large amount of money, there is presented below the financial statement of the High School Athletic Association.

ANNUAL REPORT

September, 1939, to June, 1940

RECEIPTS		EXPENSES	
Football	$ 652.15	Football	$ 531.09
Basketball	199.30	Basketball	226.73
Baseball	20.29	Baseball	132.18
Miscellaneous	178.52	Miscellaneous	136.31
Total	$1050.87	Total	$1026.31

The statement for the 1940 football season follows:

Receipts	$ 468.25
Expenses	610.01
Loss	141.76

Other years the high school football financial situation has been helped by the receipts from the Wilmington game which generally provides at least a $200 profit for each school. This year the profit was cut to $47.50 because of the blizzard and this accounts for the $141.76 loss in football for 1940.

In an effort to reduce football costs and eliminate bad weather contingency of late November games, the 1941 schedule will include fewer teams and have the traditional Wilmington game on Armistice Day.

I wish to thank the members of the School Committee, Superintendent Bean, the members of the faculty, and the entire student body for the fine co-operation they have given me in directing the destiny of the school during the past six years. Such success as the school has had is the result of concerted effort toward the same goal.

Respectfully submitted,

WHITMAN PEARSON,

Headmaster.

Table I

Age-Grade Distribution

October 1, 1940

	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20		T
I	38	37	4															79
II		21	39	7	2													69
III			22	28	12	5		1										68
IV				23	36	9	6	1										75
V					23	30	9	7	2	1								72
VI						16	33	5	8	1								63
VII							18	37	12	4	5							76
VIII								8	32	14	6	4						64
T	38	58	65	58	73	60	66	59	54	20	11	4						566
IX								1	19	35	17	4	1					77
X										18	38	14	2		1			73
XI											12	22	11	6	1			52
XII												13	22	1	1			37
P.G.																	8	8
T								1	19	53	67	53	36	7	3		8	247
G.T.	38	58	65	58	73	60	66	60	73	73	78	57	36	7	3		8	813

TABLE II

Teacher-Grade Distribution

October 1, 1940

GRADE	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI	XII	P. G.	T
ROLLO	48													48
CUNNINGHAM		38												38
COLBATH			42											42
BLAKE				37										37
PIPER					38									38
FLYNN						38								38
WARD							42							42
RINGER								28						28
HOWARD								29						29
TOTAL														340
REYNOLDS	26													26
KATHERINA		25	16											41
LYONS			10	32										42
HEDSTROM					27									27
HILL						20	24							44
TOTAL														180
OGSTON	5	6		6										17
HERSHEY					7	5	10	7						29
TOTAL														46
PEARSON									77	73	52	27	8	247
G. TOTAL	79	69	68	75	72	63	76	64	77	73	52	27	8	813

Mr. Stephen G. Bean,
Superintendent of Schools,
Wilmington, Massachusetts.

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to submit my third annual report as Supervisor of Music.

In the past year we had the greatest number of students in the music department. The response to these music activities were most enthusiastic and the result gratifying.

On May 4, 1940 the Massachusetts Music Festival held its annual competition in Wellesley. The Tewksbury High School Music Department attended. This was an unforgetable day, for the students heard a great many other high school Glee Clubs perform. It is with great anticipation that the students go to the Festival because it is there that they themselves can judge and compare their work with other high school music groups of their class. It is very justifying to know that the Tewksbury Junior-Senior Girls' Glee Club and the Mixed Chorus were winners of the First Division in Class "C." The Freshman-Sophomore Girls' Glee Club and Boys' Glee Club showed a great improvement over the previous year.

The reasons for the Massachusetts Festival are to advance interest in high school bands, choral and orchestral music, by encouraging and inducing a high standard of excellence in performance.

The second annual concert of the Tewksbury High was held in the high school auditorium on May 17 1940. The program was as follows:

SPRING ..... *Sokolof*
CZECHO-SLOVAKIAN ..... *Folk Song*
OPEN THY BLUE EYES ..... *Massenet*
Freshmen-Sophomore Girls' Glee Club

FANTASIE IMPROMPTU ..... *Chopin*
MALAGUENA ..... *Lecuona*
Eleanore Fitzgerald, Pianist

SPRING ..... *Sokolof*
A STAR ..... *Clokey*
CLOUDS ..... *Charles*
JERUSALEM! O TURN THEE TO THE LORD ..... *Gounod*
From "Gallia"—Solo by Nancy Trickey
Junior-Senior Girls' Glee Club

VALSE SONG ..... *Gounod*
From Romeo and Juliet
VILLANELLE ..... *Dell'Acqua*
Soloist—Nancy Trickey
Accompanist—Eleanore Fitzgerald

WE SAIL THE OCEAN BLUE ..... *Sullivan*
CINDY ..... *Grieg*
BROTHERS, SING ON! ..... *Grieg*

Boys' Glee Club

O SINGING LAND—From Finlandia ..... *Sibelius*
THERE WAS A LITTLE MAN ..... *Hadley*
WILL YOU REMEMBER—From Maytime ..... *Romberg*

Mixed Chorus

Accompanist—Eleanore Fitzgerald

I should like to express my gratitude to you Mr. Bean, Mr. Pearson and Miss Chandler for your genuine interest and co-operation with the Music Department.

Respectfully submitted,

ANGELICA CARABELLO,

Music Supervisor.

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC

To the Superintendent of Schools:

Dear Sir:

To record with any degree of accuracy the progress and growth of various music groups is not easy. We are constantly faced with the element of surprise. Many times where there appears to be failure today there will be evidence of advance another day.

The purpose and function of school music is to cause the rank and file of boys and girls to

1. Keep and increase their natural interest in music, or to keep them wanting to sing.

2. To give them opportunity for developing a larger and better and more intelligent appreciation of good music when they hear it.

3. Fit and equip them to take part in the rendition of good music.

To this end teachers have been given a three-fold aim:

1. All our children to be taught to love good music.

2. All our children to be intelligent when they sing, play, or listen.

3. All our children to be given abundant opportunity for learning to sing, play, or listen according to their inclination and capacity.

Our method aims to be simple and direct.

1. We try to build up right motivation.

2. We teach music as an art so they will derive satisfaction.

Sensing that, if there is to be real growth in musical understanding and power, there must be technical work of various kinds.

3. We drill faithfully in simple technicalities.

Everyone loves what he understands however he may dislike learning to know and understand.

4. The material of the art of school vocal music is "tone" as well as technicalities and until it be beautiful there can be no worthy music. So, here, we strive for accuracy, purity and beauty of tone.

To give assurance that these things which we seek are being attained, accomplishment sheets of required work for each grade level are given to teachers in September and January. Assignments are given once a month to each grade.

Work with the toy orchestra does not progress because of lack of instruments, lack of experience on the part of the teacher and lack of time on my part.

The North School closed the year with a musical play written by the boys and girls and arranged by the teachers. Shawsheen finished its year of music study with a "Songfest."

The eighth grade was prepared and presented in a program of music at graduation.

In December a music project was given to all the grades which made use of the carols of other nations in telling the Christmas Story. It was used as a Christmas program during the music period at the Shawsheen and North Schools. The eighth grade at Foster used it in story form during a music period. Project teaching in music was a new idea and venture and will probably have better reception next time it is attempted.

We have been able to realize in large degree the aims set forth at the beginning of this report. Each grade is on the level of requirements set up by the music department of the National Education Association. They have good tonal sense, read well, have a fair understanding of what "time" means, and appear to have real enjoyment in their work. Technicalities are enjoyed because the boys and girls have discovered their usefulness. The attitude toward singing alone is excellent. The whole response of the boys and girls is a source of real satisfaction.

Believing that, after the beginnings of reading, writing, arithmetic and geometry, music has greater practical value than most other subjects taught in the schools, I seek to work out and make real this belief in the hearts and minds of teachers and pupils.

The modern concept of supervision is helpfulness and cooperative service. This has been the spirit of my endeavor. To encourage, and help and give stimulus to the teachings of music.

I am most grateful to the teachers for their cooperation.

I wish to express my appreciation to Mr. Bean for his interest in the work.

Respectfully submitted,

ALICE L. STURTEVANT,

Music Supervisor.

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF ART

To the Superintendent and School Committee of the Town of Tewksbury:

It gives me pleasure to submit my report as Supervisor of Art in the Tewksbury Schools.

Art is a mode of expression we all understand and for that reason it is necessary that every school child be given the opportunity to develop his natural aptitude for art. In our schools of Tewksbury we answer this need by teaching our children how to draw simple forms and to express these forms and designs in colour.

The problems in both the elementary and secondary grades in 1940 were of varying duration, culminating in the ability of each child to draw and paint landscapes, figures, and textile designs.

The annual art exhibition of the Tewksbury Schools was on display in each of the schools in June, 1940. Each grade had one final project in which they used the acquired skills in a practical art piece. The students made crayon hangings, table scarves, luncheon sets, picnic plates, masks, book covers, posters, textile designs, seasonal cards, landscape paintings, fashion drawings, historical murals, and copper bookends.

The High School classes also entered the National Youth Forum Contest to make posters under the title of the "Challenge to Youth." We enjoyed the competition thoroughly and each student depicted scenes of his community life in relation to the American theme.

Some of the mediums used are: pencil, crayon, pastel, charcoal, clay, and paint.

In closing I wish to thank the students, the teachers, and citizens of the Town of Tewksbury for their interest in my work.

Respectfully submitted,

MARGARET E. MERCIER,

Supervisor of Art.

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN'S REPORT

To the School Department of the Town of Tewksbury:

I will make a brief report of health conditions in the schools as I have treated some of the problems in my Board of Health report. The general health of the school children has been very good this past year. On account of the preparedness situation Dr. John Mahoney who has been so efficiently doing the dental work in our school, has been forced to resign as he has entered the "Service." This necessarily closes that department for the present at least. Your physician has examined all the young men and women, who have come out for the athletic teams in the schools, so that over exertion hazards might be prevented. As your physician I feel it my duty to suggest that the sanitary arrangements in the Spaulding School where the rest rooms are used by both adults and small children is anything but satisfactory. Further, the opening and closing of the doors into the hall during school hours causes drafts and makes the heating problem difficult. I believe some move should be made to remedy these conditions. One of the finest moves to protect the health and improve resistance is the proposed W. P. A. lunch project, which is to be established in the near future in our schools. I believe everybody should cooperate in making it a success. Last but far from least is the safety program, which protects our school children. It has been my privilege to observe Officer Sheehan at his station caring for the children. His work is kindly, dignified and very efficient, a fine officer in the right place.

HERBERT M. LARRABEE, M. D.,

School Physician.

Jan. 1, 1941.

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

To Mr. Stephen G. Bean, Superintendent,
Tewksbury, Massachusetts.

Dear Mr. Bean:

I, herewith, submit my fourth report as school nurse. The year 1940 has been a very busy and varied one. We had an epidemic of Measles which affected practically every child who had not, heretofore, had them—even to high school age. This epidemic alone entailed approximately 300 visits by the nurse and showed that the town had been practically free of Measles for a number of years. This is about the only contagion we had to cope with. Our Diphtheria clinic was again very gratifying, both to Dr. Larrabee and myself. With an attendance of 75, more than 50% of the children were of pre-school age. As most of the school children have been immunized against Diphtheria, from now on our efforts will be centered around the pre-school child and we trust the parents will more and more take advantage of this clinic and see that their children are protected against this terrible disease.

About 200 pupils have had defects corrected. These corrections have been for eyes, ears, teeth and tonsils.

Our Chadwick (Tuberculosis) clinic for high school students was held in November with 70% of the student body signing up and taking the test. As yet we have not had a full report from the State Department. We were very fortunate in securing this service this year as the State Department is extremely busy in X-Raying men going into the Army.

In November we obtained an Audiometer from the State Department and examined the hearing of all pupils beyond the second grade. We found thirty-one with defective hearing. I am taking these children to a specialist as fast as possible and have found thus far that most of the loss of hearing is due to the tonsils not having been removed at an earlier date.

Our Xmas Seal Sale reached the highest mark in 1939 for which we are very grateful to the town folks for their splendid cooperation. Our 1940 sale is incomplete as yet. We are helping now with the hot dinner project which Mrs. Larrabee thought of for the welfare of the school children. One more time this shows the interest that Mrs. Larrabee has in the children. On January 6, we have our first dinner with 400 of the Center children signed up. On January 13

we start one at Shawsheen School for the children there with most of the children participating. Truly this is a great move.

The wonderful cooperation of teachers, parents, local agencies, 4-H Club, Junior Red Cross, Sunshine Circle, Red Cross, Community Chest, Lowell Visiting Nurses Association and many individuals have made this year one of advancement in Health activities.

Respectfully submitted

EDITH E. HAINES, R. N.,

School Nurse.

ROSTER OF SCHOOL EMPLOYEES

Class	Name	School or Dept.	Address
Prin.	Whitman Pearson	High	Tewksbury
Teachers	Lawrence McGowan	High	Tewksbury
	Donald McSheehy	High	Tewksbury
	Roland Bourdon		Tewksbury
	Catherine Maguire	High	Lowell
	Marjorie Scoboria	High	Chelmsford
	Kathryn Chandler	High	Tewksbury
	Evelyn Dutton	High	Dracut
	Phyllis Moran	High	Tewksbury
	Doris Groesbeck	High	Lawrence
	Elizabeth Mulry	High	Lowell
Prin.	Ethelyn Howard	Foster 8	Tewksbury
Teachers	Dorothy Ward	Foster 7	Tewksbury
	Alberta Ringer	Foster 8	Lowell
	Elizabeth Flynn	Foster 6	Chelmsford
	Marion Piper	Foster 5	Lowell
	Doris Blake	Foster 4	Wamesit
	Winifred Colbath	Foster 3	Tewksbury
	Virginia Cunningham	Foster 2	Lowell
	Mildred Rollo	Foster 1	Lowell
Prin.	Elizabeth Hill	Shaw. 6 & 7	So. Tewksbury
Teachers	Margaret Hedstrom	Shaw. 5	Tewksbury
	Ruth Lyons	Shaw. 3 & 4	Lowell
	Elizabeth Reynolds	Shaw. 1	Lowell
	Mary Katherina	Shaw.2 & 3	Tewksbury
Prin.	Eva L. Hersey	North 5 - 8	No. Tewksbury
Teachers	Dorothy Ogston	North 1 - 4	Tewksbury
Superv.	Margaret E. Mercier	Art Superv.	Melrose
	Angelica Carabello	Music High	Reading
	Alice Sturtevant	Music Elem.	Tewksbury
Health	Herbert M. Larrabee	Physician	Tewksbury
	Edith Haines	Nurse	Tewksbury
Janitors	Harry Wiley	High	Tewksbury
	Walter Lavelle	Foster	Tewksbury
	William Leighton	Shawsheen	So. Tewksbury
	Irving Bailey	North	No. Tewksbury
Trans.	Anthony Furtado, Jr.		Tewksbury
	Omer Blanchard		No. Tewksbury
	Fred H. Garlick		Tewksbury
Supt.	Stephen G. Bean		Wilmington

SCHOOL CALENDAR, 1941

January 2, to February 21

Mid-Winter Vacation

March 3 to April 25

Spring Vacation

May 5 to June 13, Elem.

May 5 to June 20, High

Summer Vacation

September 3 to December 24

Christmas Vacation

Schools open January 5, 1942

HOLIDAYS

February 22

Good Friday

April 19

May 30

October 12

November 11

Thanksgiving

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OF THE

TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE

Town of Tewksbury

For the Year Ending December 31,

1941

PRESS OF
BALFE SERVICE CO.
Lowell, Mass.

Town of Tewksbury

LIST OF TOWN OFFICERS—1942

MODERATOR

MELVIN G. ROGERS

SELECTMEN

IRVING F. FRENCH, Chairman

BERNARD H. GREENE DUNCAN J. CAMERON

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

DUNCAN J. CAMERON, Chairman

IRVING F. FRENCH BERNARD H. GREENE

BOARD OF HEALTH

BERNARD H. GREENE, Chairman

DUNCAN J. CAMERON IRVING F. FRENCH

ASSESSORS

BUZZELL KING, Chairman

AUSTIN F. FRENCH PERCY L. HAINES

TOWN CLERK

H. LOUIS FARMER, JR.

TREASURER

GEORGE A. MARSHALL

COLLECTOR OF TAXES

HARRY C. DAWSON

TOWN AUDITOR

ROBERT E. GAY

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

MAY L. LARRABEE, Chairman

RALPH S. BATTLES J. HARPER GALE

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

STEPHEN G. BEANE

TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

HARRY PRIESTLY, Chairman

RUTH SMITH HAROLD J. PATTEN

MARIAN FRENCH EDGAR SMITH

DOROTHY FITZGERALD

LIBRARIAN

ABBIE M. BLAISDELL

ROAD COMMISSIONERS

THOMAS P. SAWYER, Chairman

CHESTER M. ROPER LOUIS O. BERUBE

SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

RICHARD F. O'NEILL

TREE WARDEN

HARRIS M. BRIGGS

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

HERBERT A. FAIRBROTHER, Chairman

H. LOUIS FARMER, JR., Clerk

WILLIAM H. BENNETT GEORGE J. McCOY

CONSTABLES

CYRIL L. BARKER LAUCHIE McPHAIL

CHESTER E. BURGESS

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

ASAHEL H. JEWELL

WEIGHERS

GEORGE B. TANNER

GEORGE McFAYDEN GEORGE K. JAMES

SURVEYOR OF LUMBER

GEORGE K. JAMES

MEASURER OF WOOD

GEORGE K. JAMES

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

VICTOR N. CLUFF

FIELD DRIVER AND POUND KEEPER

JESSE KEMP

FENCE VIEWERS

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

POLICE DEPARTMENT

CYRIL L. BARKER, Chief

C. ABBOTT BATTLES
CHESTER E. BURGESS
JOHN GRANEY
GEORGE M. HAZEL
LAURENCE K. KELLEY
ARTHUR La FLUER
LAUCHIE McPHAIL
JAMES MANLEY
ROSS E. SARGENT
DANIEL J. SHEEHAN
DANIEL D. STERLING
JOSEPH A. VIVIER
HARRY P. WILEY

AGENT BOARD OF HEALTH

HERBERT M. LARRABEE, M. D.

UNDERTAKER AND AGENT FOR BURIAL INDIGENT SOLDIERS

H. LOUIS FARMER, JR.
(Reg. Embalmer)

FOREST FIRE WARDEN

ALDEN S. HAINES

DEPUTY FOREST FIRE WARDENS

WILLIAM I. BAILEY JOHN SMITH, JR.

INSPECTOR OF MEAT AND PROVISIONS

ASAHEL H. JEWELL

LOCAL AGENT FOR SUPPRESSION OF BROWN TAIL AND GYPSY MOTHS

HARRIS M. BRIGGS

PARK COMMISSIONERS

THOMAS C. McCAUSLAND

HARRIS M. BRIGGS WALTER ROBERTS

CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

ALDEN S. HAINES

APPRAISERS

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

JANITOR OF TOWN HALL

GEORGE K. JAMES

FINANCE COMMITTEE

(Term expires 1944)

SAMUEL CROWN — WINTHROP S. BEANE

ELMER OLSON — JOHN H. KELLEY

(Term expires 1943)

WALTER R. ACKLES — KARL HEIDENRICH

WILLIAM H. BENNETT — ALLEN C. WILSON

(Term expires 1942)

PHILIP M. BATTLES — HARRY P. NASH, Sec.

ALBERT GILLISSEN — MARK ROPER

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

FREDERICK M. CARTER

EDWIN W. OSTERMAN — FRANKLIN P. SPAULDING

DOG OFFICER

GERALD J. FINNERAN

CARETAKER OF SOLDIERS' LOT

WINTHROP S. JONES

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

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WARRANT FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Middlesex, ss:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury in said County:

Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town Affairs, to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury on Wednesday, February 5, 1941 at twelve o'clock noon, to act on the following articles:

ART. 1. To choose all necessary Town Officers, to choose by ballot a Moderator, Town Clerk, three Selectmen, three members of the Board of Public Welfare, three members of the Board of Health, a Town Treasurer, an Auditor, a Collector of Taxes, a Tree Warden and three Constables, all to serve one year; one Highway Commissioner to serve three years; one member of the School Committee to serve three years, one member of the School Committee to serve one year, two Trustees of the Public Library to serve three years; one Park Commissioner to serve three years; one Assessor to serve three years; one Commissioner of Trust Fund to serve three years.

The polls for the election of Town Officers to be opened at twelve noon and to be closed at 8 P. M.

And you are also hereby further required and directed to notify and warn the said inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, who are qualified to vote on elections and Town affairs, therein to assemble subsequently and meet in Town Meeting at the Town Hall in said Town of Tewksbury on Wednesday, February 12, 1941, at seven-thirty o'clock P. M., then and there to act on the following articles:

ART. 2. To hear reports of Town Officers and Committees and act thereon.

ART. 3. To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise by taxation to defray necessary expenses for the current year, and make appropriations for the same.

ART. 4. To see if the Town will vote the money arising from licensing dogs, for the ensuing year to aid in support of the Public Library.

ART. 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1941 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

VOTED: That the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1941 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ART. 6. To see what regulations the Town will make for the possession, management and sale of land sold for unpaid taxes and for the assignment of Tax Titles not inconsistent with law or with the right of redemption as provided by Sec. 52 of Chap. 60 of the General Laws as amended by Sec. 3 of Chapter 126 of the Acts of 1927, and to see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for the enforcement of such rules and regulations.

ART. 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $350.00 for the proper observance of Memorial Day, and appoint a committee to expend the money. Said committee to be taken from members of Spanish War Veterans, American Legion, or Sons of Veterans.

ART. 8. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to institute suits on behalf of the Town or defend any suits that are, or may be brought against the Town, and to sign any contracts or agreements in behalf of the Town.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum sufficient to pay the County of Middlesex, as required by law, the Town's share of the net cost of the care, maintenance, and repair of the Middlesex County Tuberculosis Hospital, as assessed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 111 of the General Laws and Acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto including Chapter 400, Section 25 G (6) (a) of the Acts of 1936 or take any action in relation thereto.

ART. 10. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell, after first giving notice of the time and place of sale by posting such notice of sale in some convenient and public place in the town fourteen days at least before the sale, property taken by the town under tax title procedure provided that the selectmen or whomsoever they may authorize to hold such public auction may reject any bid which they deem inadequate, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Board of Selectmen to sell any parcel or parcels of land acquired by the Town through Tax Title foreclosure proceedings whose Tax Title value is less than $40.00, for whatever sum it may be in their judgment to the best interest of the Town, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 12. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen and the Treasurer to foreclose either through the Land Court or by affidavit of the Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation, any Tax Title held by the Town for more than two years, and to see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate therefor or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,500.00 for the Maintenance of Chapter 90, highways: said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be alloted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 14. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to establish a Road Machinery Fund for the purpose of purchasing, repairing, and operating road machinery, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 15. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Road Machinery Account, to which shall be accredited all receipts received for the use of rental of road machinery, the proceeds to be appropriated as voted by the Town for road machinery purposes, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 16. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate for Road Machinery purposes, all sums paid in, or to be paid in, to the Road Machinery Fund and authorize and empower the Treasurer to transfer from the Road Machinery Fund to the Road Machinery Account all such sums.

ART. 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,000.00 or any other sum for the improvement of North Street; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 18. To see if the Town will vote to accept Wilson Road, from South Street to Madeline Road, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 19. To see if the Town will vote to accept Idle Wild Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 20. To see if the Town will vote to accept Pinedale Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 21. To see if the Town will vote to accept Court Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 22. To see if the Town will vote to accept Lawson Avenue as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 23. To see if the Town will vote to accept Murray Avenue as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 24. To see if the Town will vote to accept Pratt Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 25. To see if the Town will vote to accept Guile Avenue, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 26. To see if the Town will vote to accept Martin Road, from Guile Avenue to Lawson Avenue, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurement as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 27. To see if the Town will vote to accept Oak Street, from White Street to South Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 28. To see if the Town will vote to accept Dudley Road, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 29. To see if the Town will vote to accept Kittridge Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 30. To see if the Town will vote to locate a light on Bridge Street opposite the home of Rose Levine, or take any other action.

ART. 31. To see if the Town will vote to locate a light at the junction of School and South Streets and appropriate money for same, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 32. To see if the Town will vote to locate a light at the junction of Clyde Avenue and Vernon Street and appropriate money for same, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 33. To see if the Town will vote to locate a light on South Street, between Foster's Corner and Brown Street, and appropriate money for same or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 34. To see if the Town will vote to locate a light at the junction of Maplewood Avenue and Adams Street and appropriate money for same, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 35. To see if the Town will vote to locate a light on Florence Avenue, near the Wilmington line, and appropriate money for same or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 36. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000 to be used as a revolving fund to finance the Food Stamp Plan, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 37. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $646.02 to reimburse other cities and towns for unpaid Welfare bills of 1940, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 38. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $836.98 to reimburse other cities and towns, and the State Department of Public Welfare, for unpaid Welfare bills of 1939, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 39. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $209.38 to pay the following bills of 1940: Police $86.94, Vocational School $37.70, Tree Warden $3.00, Legion Hall $6.16, Moth Department $14.58, and Board of Health $61.00 or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 40. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a committee of five, to consist of three members of the Shcool Board elected at the annual meeting and two to be appointed by the moderator, to investigate the advisability of making an addition to the Shawsheen School or the advisability of making alterations to the Spaulding School, such committee to report to the Town at a special town meeting to be held not later than April 21, 1941, and to appropriate $100 for the expenses of said committee or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 41. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding $350 for repairs to and maintenance of the athletic field and structures thereon at the high school and for the maintenance of athletics at the high school.

ART. 42. To see if the Town will create a committee of three, one to be a member of the school board for the time being and two to be appointed annually by the moderator with full power over the maintenance, repair and upkeep of the athletic field and structures thereon at the high school and with full power to enact regulations for the use of said field or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 43. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a Stadium Commission to be composed of three men who will serve until replaced. Said Commission to have full jurisdiction over the Tewksbury Stadium or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 44. To see if the Town will vote to widen and repair Rogers Street from Pike Street to Whipple Road, make appropriation for same or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 45. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for a reserve fund under Section 6 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws or take any other action thereto.

ART. 46. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate to be used in conjunction with Federal Funds for Work Projects Administration expenses for the year 1941 or take any action relative to same.

ART. 47. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for the purpose of installing a Lunch Room at the Foster School, including the purchase of necessary equipment or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 48. To see if the Town will vote to accept Section 6B, Chapter 40, of the General Laws, Tercentenary Edition—"A city or town which accepts this section may appropriate money for the purchase of uniforms for members of its Police and Fire Departments,"—recommending not more than $100 to be spent for uniforms in a given year for each department, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 49. To raise and appropriate the sum of $125.00 for maintainence of the Legion Quarters.

ART. 50. To see what action the town will take in procuring a steel flag pole for the Common and putting the care of the flag in the hands of the Selectmen.

ART. 51. To see if the Town will vote to increase the salary of the Assessors from $3.50 to $4.00 per day.

ART. 52. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $200 for clerical assistance in the office of the Town Treasurer for the year of 1941 or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 53. To see if the Town will vote to repeal the existing by-law passed by the Town February 8, 1933 whereby 5% of registered voters who voted at the last annual town meeting necessary for a quorum or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 54. To see if the Town will prescribe by by-law the number of voters necessary to constitute a quorum at Town meetings according to Section 13 of Chapter 39 of the General Laws or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 55. To see if the Town will vote to increase the salary of the Board of Selectmen $100.00 for each member or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 56. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $50.00 in support of the Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture, through he Middlesex County Extension Service, and elect a director. Said money to be spent under the direction of the local director, or take any other action relative thereto.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and leave one hundred copies for the use of the citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, 8 days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid:—

Given under our hands, this 14th day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and forty-one.

IRVING F. FRENCH,
BERNARD H. GREENE,
DUNCAN J. CAMERON,
Selectmen of Tewksbury.

CYRIL L. BARKER,
Constable of Tewksbury

A true copy attest:

February 5, 1941

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex ss

I have served the within warrant by posting up Attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and by leaving 100 copies for use of the citizens at the Post Office at said Town, eight days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said Meeting.

CYRIL L. BARKER,

Constable of Tewksbury.

Filed at the Town Clerk's Office
twelve o'clock noon, February 5, 1941.

A true copy. Attest:

H. LOUIS FARMER, Jr.

Town Clerk.

ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION

Tewksbury, Massachusetts, February 5, 1941

Middlesex ss.

At a Meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town Affairs, held at the Town Hall, this day, the following business was transacted. Warrant was read by the presiding Election Officer, Melvin G. Rogers, and the polls were officially opened at twelve o'clock noon. Jesse J. French, William A. Smith, Thomas F. Sullivan, William I. Bailey, William H. McGowan and Anna E. McPhillips were sworn in as tellers by Mr. Rogers. The Register showed 0000, check lists were in order and the Clerk received a receipt for eighteen hundred and eight ballots. The Polls were officially closed at eight P.M. with the Register showing 753. The Check List showed seven hundred and fifty-three names checked as voted which checked with the seven hundred and fifty-three ballots counted. Following is the result of the count:-

Town Clerk for One Year

H. Louis Farmer, Jr. had	670	votes (elected and sworn)
Blanks	82	"
George Gale had	1	"

Selectmen for One Year

Duncan J. Cameron had	582	votes (elected and sworn)
Irving F. French had	599	" (elected and sworn)
Bernard H. Greene had	599	" (elected and sworn)
Blanks	475	"
Winthrop Jones had	1	"
George Hill had	2	"
Samuel Crown had	1	"

Board of Public Welfare for One Year

Duncan J. Cameron had	573	votes (elected and sworn)
Irving F. French had	583	" (elected and sworn)
Bernard H. Greene had	590	" (elected and sworn)
Blanks	510	"
Winthrop Jones had	1	"
George Hill had	1	"
Samuel Crown had	1	"

Board of Health for One Year

Duncan J. Cameron had	564	votes (elected and sworn)
Irving F. French had	574	" (elected and sworn)
Bernard H. Greene had	587	" (elected and sworn)
Blanks	531	"
Winthrop Jones had	1	"
George Hill had	1	"
Samuel Crown had	1	"

Treasurer for One Year

George A. Marshall had	662	votes (elected and sworn)
Blanks	90	"
Henry Norris had	1	"

Auditor for One Year

Robert E. Gay had	641	votes (elected and sworn)
Blanks	111	"
George James had	1	"

Moderator for One Year

Melvin G. Rogers had	623	votes (elected and sworn)
Blanks	127	"
John T. Gale had	1	"
John Belton had	1	"
Mrs. Larrabee had	1	"

Tax Collector for One Year

Harry C. Dawson had	634	votes (elected and sworn)
Blanks	117	"
Alice M. Pike had	1	"
H. Louis Farmer, Jr. had	1	"

Tree Warden for One Year

Harris M. Briggs had	618	votes (elected and sworn)
Blanks	131	"
Chester Roper had	1	"
Nelson Brown had	1	"
Ira Brown had	1	"
George Mercier had	1	"

Trust Fund Commissioner for Three Years

Frederick M. Carter had	610	votes (elected and sworn)
Blanks	142	"
William Smith had	1	"

Constables for One Year

Cyril L. Barker had	584	votes (elected and sworn)
Chester E. Burgess had	600	" (elected and sworn)
Lauchie McPhail had	594	" (elected and sworn)
Blanks	478	"
George Hazel had	1	"
Arthur W. Wells, Jr. had	1	"
Fred Goodwin had	1	"

Highway Commissioner for Three Years

Albert Bancroft had	260	votes
Thomas P. Sawyer had	435	votes (elected and sworn)
Blanks	58	"

School Committee for Three Years

J. Harper Gale had	503	votes (elected and sworn)
Harold J. Patten had	207	"
Blanks	43	"

School Committee for One Year

Ralph S. Battles had	225	votes (elected and sworn)
Violet H. B. Holmes had	220	"
Harold F. Smith had	67	"
Harry A. Treadwell had	139	"
Arthur W. Wells, Jr. had	71	"
Blanks	31	"

Trustee Public Library for Three Years

Marian E. French had	578	votes (elected and sworn)
Harry Priestley had	521	" (elected and sworn)
Blanks	405	"
Nelson Brown had	1	"
Fred Goodwin had	1	"

Park Commissioner for Three Years

Thomas C. McCausland had	575	votes (elected and sworn)
Blanks	174	"
Winthrop Jones had	2	"
George Mercier had	1	"
Charlotte Carter had	1	"

Assessor for Three Years

Austin F. French had	607	votes (elected and sworn)
Blanks	145	"
Melvin Rogers had	1	"

Meeting adjourned at ten o'clock P. M.

A true record.
Attest:

H. LOUIS FARMER, Jr.
Town Clerk of Tewksbury.

Office of the Board of Registrars
Town of Tewksbury

February 11, 1941.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Middlesex ss.

We hereby certify, this day, February 11, 1941, we have recounted the votes cast for School Committee for the One Year Term at the Annual Town Election held at Town Hall, February 5, 1941 and have found the following results to be true:-

Ralph S. Battles had	225	votes
Violet H. B. Holmes had	220	"
Harold F. Smith had	67	"
Harry A. Treadwell had	139	"
Arthur W. Wells, Jr. had	71	"
Blanks	31	"
Total	753	

Attest:

HERBERT A. FAIRBROTHER, Chairman
GEORGE J. McCOY,
WM. H. BENNETT,
H. LOUIS FARMER, Jr., Clerk.

A true copy.
Attest:

H. LOUIS FARMER, Jr.,
Town Clerk.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Town Hall, Tewksbury, Massachusetts

February 12, 1941

At a Meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town Affairs, held this day, at the Town Hall, Tewksbury, Massachusetts, the following business was transacted:

The Meeting was called to order by Moderator Melvin G. Rogers at seven thirty o'clock P.M. Check list used and a necessary quorum was found to be present. Rev. Gordon S. Kenison, pastor of the Tewksbury Centre Congregational church, offered prayer.

ART. 1. Acted on at the meeting held February 5, 1941.

ART. 2. All reports of Town Officers and Committees accepted.

Mr. Gay moved that the Selectmen be instructed to insert an article at some future Town Meeting to repeal the existing By-law compelling the Town Clerk to include in his report the minutes of all Town Meetings in order to save the cost of printing said report.

ART 3. VOTED: To lay on the table.

ART. 4. VOTED: The money arising from the licensing of dogs, for the ensuing year, to aid in support of the library.

ART. 5. VOTED: That the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1941 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ART. 6. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone.

ART. 7. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $350.00 for proper observance of Memorial Day.

Committee to be appointed by the Moderator.

ART. 8. VOTED: That the selectmen be and hereby are authorized to institute suits on behalf of the Town or defend any suits that are, or may be brought against the Town, and to sign any contracts or agreements in behalf of the Town.

ART. 9. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $1,139.62 for the purposes outlined in this Article.

ART. 10. VOTED: That the selectmen be and hereby are authorized to sell, after first giving notice of the time and place of sale by posting such notice of sale in some convenient and public place in the Town fourteen days at least before the sale, property taken by the Town under tax title procedure provided that the selectmen or whomsoever they may authorize to hold such public auction may reject any bid they may deem inadequate.

ART. 11 VOTED: To authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to sell any parcel or parcels of land acquired by the Town through Tax Title foreclosure proceedings whose Tax Title value is less than $40.00, for whatever sum it may be in their judgment to the best interest of the Town.

ART. 12. VOTED: To authorize the Board of Selectmen and the Treasurer to foreclose either through the Land Court or by affidavit of the Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation, any Tax Title held by the Town for more than two years, and to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,500.00 therefor.

ART. 13. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $2,500.00 for the maintenance of Chapter 90, highways: said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose.

ART. 14. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $192.90 plus all allowable receipts for the purposes outlined in this Article.

ART. 15. VOTED: To establish a Road Machinery Account to which shall be accredited all receipts received for the use of rental of road machinery, the proceeds to be appropriated as voted by the Town for Road Machinery purposes.

ART. 16. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone.

ART. 17. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $3,000.00 for the improvement of North Street; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose.

ART. 18. VOTED: To adopt this Article.

ART. 19. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone this Article.

Seven voters arose to doubt the vote. The Moderator appointed and administered oath to Mr. Pearson and Mr. Johnson as tellers, count of the vote was taken and the result was: four votes for indefinite postponement, 51 against indefinite postponement.

VOTED: To adopt this Article.

ART. 20. VOTED: To adopt this Article.

ART. 21. VOTED: To adopt this Article.

ART. 22. VOTED: To adopt this Article.

ART. 23. VOTED: To adopt this Article.

ART. 24. VOTED: To adopt this Article.

ART. 25. VOTED: To adopt this Article.

ART. 26. VOTED: To adopt this Article.

ART. 27. VOTED: To adopt this Article.

ART. 28. VOTED: To adopt this Article.

ART. 29. VOTED: To adopt this Article.

ART. 30. VOTED: To lay on the table. (And take up under Article 3.)

ART. 31. VOTED: To lay on the table. (And take up under Article 3.)

ART. 32. VOTED: To lay on the table. (And take up under Article 3.)

ART. 33. VOTED: To lay on the table. (And take up under Article 3.)

ART. 34. VOTED: To lay on the table. (And take up under Article 3.)

ART. 35. VOTED: To lay on the table. (And take up under Article 3.)

ART. 36. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 to be used as a revolving fund to finance the Food Stamp Plan.

ART. 37. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $646.02 for the purposes outlined in this Article.

ART. 38. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $836.98 for the purposes outlined in this Article.

ART. 39. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $209.38 for the purposes outlined in this Article.

Requested that in the future department heads are urged to keep their expenditures within their allowances.

ART. 40. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 for the purposes outlined in this Article.

VOTED: That the committee take into consideration the advisibility of erecting a new school at the Shawsheen.

The Moderator appointed Louis O. Berube and Frank F. Hobson to serve with the School Committee under this Article.

ART. 41. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $350.00 for the purposes outlined in this Article.

ART. 42. VOTED: To adopt this Article.

Suggestion by Mr. King that the Chairman of the Board of Public Welfare be a member of this Committee.

ART. 43. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone.

ART. 44. VOTED: To refer this Article to the Highway Commissioners with instructions to do this work out of their appropriation.

ART. 45. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $2.500.00 for a reserve fund under Section 6, Chapter 40 of the General Laws.

ART. 46. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $9,398.45 for the purposes outlined in this Article.

ART. 47. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone this Article.

ART. 48. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone this Article.

ART. 49. VOTED: To lay on the table.

ART. 50. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone this Article.

ART. 51. VOTED: To increase the salary of the Assessors from $3.50 to $4.00 per day.

ART. 52. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $200.00 for the purposes outlined in this Article.

ART. 53. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone this Article.

ART. 54. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone this Article.

ART. 55. VOTED: To lay on the table and take up under Article 3.

ART. 56. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $50.00 for the purposes outlined in this Article.

Motion that Mrs. May L. Larrabee be reappointed director was so voted.

VOTED: To take Article 3 from the table and act thereon.

ART. 3. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the following sums:

Street Lighting	$ 6,135.00
Incidentals	900.00
Highways	17,000.00
Schools	60,000.00
Library (plus Dog Tax)	1,300.00
Police	6,500.00
Stationery and Printing	1,150.00
Board of Health	4,000.00
Park Commissioner	225.00
Tree Warden	1,500.00
Fire Department	5,000.00

VOTED: That the fire department be prohibited from purchasing a two way radio from this appropriation.

Department of Public Welfare	12,000.00
Bureau for Old Age Assistance (Plus Federal Grants)	13,000.00
Town Hall	5,000.00

Assessors	2,500.00
Vocational School	800.00
Inspection of Meats and Animals	700.00
Aid, State and Military	2,500.00
Interest on Loans	250.00
Collection of Taxes	1,000.00
Municipal Insurance	1,500.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	225.00
Dog Officer	200.00
Maintenance of Legion Headquarters	125.00
Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths	1,500.00
Board of Registrars	1,281.00

Salary Account

Auditor	$ 700.00
Town Clerk (exclusive of fees)	750.00
Tax Collector	1,850.00
Selectmen	1,100.00
Election Officers	50.00
School Committee	225.00
Road Commissioners	400.00
Treasurer	1,500.00

Meeting adjourned at nine twenty-two o'clock P.M.

A true record.

Attest:

H. LOUIS FARMER, Jr.
Town Clerk of Tewksbury.

WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Middlesex ss:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town affairs, to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury,

On Wednesday, the 16th Day of April, 1941,

at eight o'clock P.M. to act on the following Articles:

ART. 1. To hear the Report of the committee appointed under Article 40 of the Annual Town Meeting of 1941, and act thereon.

ART. 2. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate by loan or otherwise for alterations or additions to the Shawsheen School and to determine who shall have supervision of the expenditure of the money under this article, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 3. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for a main-mast for the flag pole on the common, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 4. To see if the Town will vote to pay the sum of $64 00 to Robertson Company, for school furniture and equipment supplied to the Town, or take any other action relative thereto.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices and leave one hundred copies for the use of the Citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, 8 days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said Meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid:

Given under our hands this 2nd day of April, A.D. 1941.

IRVING F. FRENCH,
BERNARD H. GREENE,
DUNCAN J. CAMERON,
Selectmen of Tewksbury.

A true copy.
Attest:
CYRIL L. BARKER,
Constable.

Saturday, April 5, 1941.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex ss.

April 16, 1941.

I have served the within warrant by posting up Attested copies thereof, one at each of the public meeting houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and by leaving 100 copies for the use of the Citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, eight days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said meeting.

CYRIL L. BARKER,
Constable of Tewksbury.

A true copy.
Attest:

H. LOUIS FARMER, Jr.
Town Clerk.

Filed—4-16-41.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Town Hall, Tewksbury, Masachusetts

April 16, 1941

At a meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, held this day at the Town Hall, the following business was transacted:

Due to the lack of a necessary quorum the Meeting was not called to order until 8.30 o'clock P.M. At 8.30 P.M. the Meeting was called to order by Moderator Melvin G. Rogers, check list was used and the necessary quorum was found to be present. The Moderator asked if any doubted the quorum, there were no doubts and he proceeded with the business of the Meeting.

ART. 1. The Report of the Committee covering addition to the Shawsheen School was read by the chairman, Louis O. Berube. Mr. Berube then filed the written report with the Town Clerk.
A discussion followed the reading of the Report during which Mr. Henry Sparkes asked for the fireproofing of school buildings.
A motion was made and seconded that the Report of the Committee be accepted.

VOTED: That the Report of the Committees be accepted.
Mr. Sparkes then submitted the following motion; "I make a motion to erect a fireproof building in place of the Shawsheen School, and appropriate the sum of $65,000 for the same, $5,000 to be raised by the tax levy of 1941 and the balance to be raised by a loan of 15 years, $4,000 to be payable each year." This motion was seconded.

Mr. Harold Patten suggested a new building, but not immediately. Mr. Patten favored a four room brick building to be added to at a later date.

Mr. Berube then spoke in the interest of economy.

Mr. Ralph Battles moved that further action under Article 1. be indefinitely postponed. The motion was seconded. Moderator ruled the motion prevailed. Seven rose to doubt the vote. Moderator Rogers appointed Robert Gay and Herman Bischoff as Tellers and administered the oath. The vote was then taken again with the result 68 were in favor of indefinite postponement, 13 against indefinite postponement.

ART. 2. Mr. Berube submitted the following motion; That the sum of seventeen thousand dollars ($17,000.00) be raised and appropriated for the construction of an addition to the Shawsheen School, which will increase the floor space of said School, and for the cost of the original equipment and furnishing of such an addition as well as for alterations of the present building necessary to such addition; and to meet the said appropriation, that the sum of seven thousand dollars ($7,000.00) be raised in the tax levy of 1941, of which sum, five thousand five hundred dollars ($5,500.00) is to cover the cost of the alterations to the old building and of the new steam heating plant to be constructed in the present building, and the treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000.00) and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor, said bonds or notes to be payable in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than five years from the date of issue of the first bond or note, or at such earlier times as the treasurer and selectmen may determine.

The motion of Mr. Berube was seconded. Mr. Gay and Mr. Bischoff again acted as Tellers and the result of the vote was: 69 in favor, 11 opposed.

A motion by Mr. Greene that the same committee be appointed was carried.

ART. 3. Moved and seconded that the sum of $400.00 be raised and appropriated for the flag pole.

VOTED: To amend the motion to include bids for installation and furnishing of the flag pole.

VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $400.00 for the flag pole, and to put out bids for the installation and furnishing therefor. It was moved, seconded and voted that the Commander of the American Legion be placed in charge.

ART. 4. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $64.00 for the purposes outlined in this Article.

Meeting adjourned at 9.25 o'clock P.M.

A true record.
Attest: H. LOUIS FARMER, Jr.
Town Clerk.

VITAL STATISTICS—1941

Births

Births recorded in the Town of Tewksbury
for the Year 1941

No.	Date of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Parents
1A	Jan. 12	———— ———— Anderson	Anthony and Ruth
1	Jan. 14	Leo Foster Wright	Foster and Mildred
2A	Jan. 31	———— ———— Murray	Malcolm and Audrey
3A	Jan. 28	Dorothy Yvonne Desharnais	Real and Anna
4A	Jan. 31	Kenneth Lee Johnson	Alfred and Elizabeth
5A	Mar 4	———— ———— Stern	Louis and Dorothy
6A	Feb. 19	Carolyn Bernice Ebert	Carl and Ruth
7A	Mar. 15	———— ———— Young	Walter and Helen
2	Mar. 26	Geraldine Louise Lawler	Arthur and Louise
8A	Mar. 29	Judith Svibergson	Nils and Margaret
9A	Mar. 30	———— ———— Morris	Charles and Barbara
10A	Apr. 7	———— ———— Hunt	Frederick and Christina
11A	Jan. 21	———— ———— Ryan	James and Margaret
12A	Mar. 18	Paul Joseph Agneta	Raphael and Dorothy
13A	May 6	———— ———— McSheehy	Donald and Mildred
14A	May 9	Barbara Louise Wells	Arthur and Beatrice
3	May 27	Sandra Roy	William and Alice
15A	June 21	———— ———— LaPainte	Ernest and Beatrice
16A	May 6	Edward Gladstone Daly 3rd	Edward and Ethel
17A	May 6	Robert Edward Carroll	James and Mary
18A	May 22	Donna Marie Gilooly	William and Alice
19A	May 31	George Arthur Garland	Ralph and Mary
20A	June 14	———— ———— Nolan	William and Mary
4	June 16	Irene LeBouef	Roland and Lillian
21A	June 16	———— ———— Hadley	Harold and Mildred
5	June 22	Lillian June Fisher	Fletcher and Marguerite
22A	June 24	———— ———— Marshall	James and Ella
23A	Feb. 2	Marion Adelle Lamson	Charles and Gertrude
24A	June 11	Ann Louise Tolstrup	George and Helen
25A	July 14	———— ———— Scott	John and Gertrude
26A	July 21	Ruth Elaine Clark	Harold and Ann
27A	July 23	———— ———— Brabant	Ernest and Janet
28A	Aug. 6	Duncan Thorpe Hazel	George and Barbara
30A	Aug. 28	Earl Aldred Lye, Jr.	Earl and Ann

No.	Date of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Parents
6	Sept. 6	Sandra Maria Clark	Isaac and Lillian
7	Sept. 12	Everett Samuel Haines	Everett and Elizabeth
31A	Oct. 24	———— ———— Whitten	Howard and Lorraine
32A	Oct. 25	———— ———— Edgecomb	Clifford and Eleanor
33A	Oct. 31	———— ———— Berlin	Datus and Edith
34A	July 9	Ronald Alan Blair	George and Johann
35A	July 11	Patricia Ann O'Connell	John and Irene
8	Aug. 1	———— ———— Morris	Walter and Flora
36A	Oct. 11	Earl Wayne Vinecour	Harold and Bertha
37A	Nov. 7	Marian Elizabeth Dunn	Gabriel and Christina
38A	Nov. 8	———— ———— O'Brien	Robert and Adeline
39A	Nov. 9	Fred Gordon Small	George and Doris
40A	Nov. 16	Thomas Edward Dame	Russell and Margaret
41A	Nov. 26	Richard Wayne Gorrell	Richard and Rita
9	Nov. 30	James Arthur Young	Thomas and Margaret
10	Dec. 11	Robert Irvin Ash	Kermit and Charlotte
42A	Dec. 25	William Edward Cheep	William and Helen
43A	Dec. 26	———— ———— Shanley	William and Anna

Marriages

Marriages in the Town of Tewksbury
For the Year 1941

No.	Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
1	Jan. 26	M. Austin McCormack	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Estelle M. Simard	Chelmsford, Mass.
2	Feb. 13	John Patrick Mahoney	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Mildred Louise Ford	Rockland, Mass.
3	Feb. 22	Phillip Joseph Cote	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Cecile Alice Prudhomme	Lowell, Mass.
4	Mar. 8	Edward Balnis	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Ethel Hendricks Hallett	Wilmington, Mass.
5	Mar. 22	William Francis Fleming	Wilmington, Mass.
		Eva (O'Connell) Newhouse	Tewksbury, Mass.
6	Apr. 13	Arthur E. Auttelet	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Rita M. Dupras	Lowell, Mass.
7	May 4	Frank Sivacek	Boston, Mass.
		Elizabeth Sivacek	Tewksbury, Mass.
8	Apr. 19	James Stanton Gallagher	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Edna Elizabeth Durkee	Tewksbury, Mass.

No.	Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
9	May 10	Paul W. Nelson	Westford, Mass.
		Hazel Murley	Tewksbury, Mass.
10	May 11	Leslie F. Coad	Savannah, Ga.
		Ruth E. Colby	Concord, N. H.
11	May 25	Robert Shute	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Marie L. Elliott	Tewksbury, Mass.
12	May 25	William Hewitt Powell	Tewksbury, Mass,
		Anna Mae Crowe	Lowell, Mass.
13	May 25	Leroy C. Thing	Chelmsford, Mass.
		Celia Fantini	Tewksbury, Mass.
14	June 27	Joseph Poutenis	Shirley, Mass.
		Petronelia Petraites	Tewksbury, Mass.
15	June 28	Fernand Laroche	Durham, N. H.
		Ruby Petenaude	Tewksbury, Mass.
16	June 28	Laurence Homer Carson	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Sarah Celeste Keene	Lowell, Mass.
17	June 29	Lawrence Harry Norton	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Ina Henzman	Wilmington, Mass.
18	July 4	Daniel Frances Callahan	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Rose Marie Bonugli	Tewksbury, Mass.
19	July 6	John Peatman	Andover, Mass.
		Irma E. Darby	Tewksbury, Mass.
20	July 18	Edward L. Brabant	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Helen Marie Haas	Tewksbury, Mass.
21	July 27	Michael J. DiPalma	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Josephine Tsetas	Framingham, Mass.
22	July 27	Theodore Gontarz	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Mary Dowd	Methuen, Mass.
23	July 28	Clarence O. F. Anderson	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Sarah M. MacKey	Tewksbury, Mass.
24	Aug. 2	Arthur Frederic Burtt	Swampscott, Mass.
		Doris Bennett Gray	Tewksbury, Mass.
25	Aug. 24	William Joseph Shine	Somerville, Mass.
		Laura Rose Cidado	Somerville, Mass.
26	Aug. 24	John Powers	Lowell, Mass.
		Tillie A. Heidenrich	Tewksbury, Mass.
27	July 9	William Henry MacFarland	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Rilla Ellen Bruedle	Tewksbury, Mass.
28	Aug. 9	Robert Cuddy Gordon	Lowell, Mass.
		Loretta Marie Roy	Dracut, Mass.
29	Aug. 9	Arthur J. Betencourt	Lowell, Mass.
		Anita S. Manseau	Lowell, Mass.

No.	Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
30	Aug. 10	Arthur Larvey	Wilmington, Mass.
		Virginia M. Newell	Wilmington, Mass.
31	Sept. 14	Raymond McKinley Burt	No. Reading, Mass.
		Lorraine Gertrude Hallowood	Tewksbury, Mass.
32	Sept. 19	Malcolm S. Harkins	Lowell, Mass.
		Lillian G. Lynch	Lowell, Mass.
33	Sept. 20	Lawrence R. McGowan	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Muriel E. Amiot	Tewksbury, Mass.
34	Sept. 21	Thomas L. Cross	Lowell, Mass.
		Helen L. Trull	Tewksbury, Mass.
35	Sept. 30	Robert E. Boisvert	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Hannah E. Nussey	Billerica, Mass.
36	Oct. 4	George R. Dupee	Lowell, Mass.
		Frances M. French	Tewksbury, Mass.
37	Oct. 5	Everett F. Penney	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Marguerite M. McCusker	Lowell, Mass.
38	Oct. 5	Stanley Oczkowski	Chelmsford, Mass.
		Blanche M. Rychwa	Tewksbury, Mass.
39	Oct. 12	Francis J. Robinson	Wilmington, Mass.
		Margaret Norton	Wilmington, Mass.
40	Oct. 12	Joseph Santomassimo	Lawrence, Mass.
		Mary V. Petraites	Tewksbury, Mass.
41	Nov. 1	C. Kenneth Fitzgerald	Tewksbury, Mass.
		June Carmichael	Andover, Mass.
42	Nov. 1	Lawrence Henry	Wilmington, Mass.
		Katherine (Stevenson) Byrd	Tewksbury, Mass.
43	Nov. 8	John A. McVey	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Grace (Hickey) McDermott	Tewksbury, Mass.
44	Aug. 30	Joseph Walter Szurley	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Rita Blanche Cote	Tewksbury, Mass.
45	Sept. 9	Frank F. Frost	Billerica, Mass.
		Ailla Jacobs	Billerica, Mass.
46	Oct. 22	Herman William Otto	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Marion Rose Fay	Lowell, Mass.
47	Oct. 25	Raymond A. DesLauriers	Plaistow, N. H.
		Laura E. Dinges	Plaistow, N. H.
48	Nov. 15	Edward D. McCormack	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Julia Patricia Dipalma	Tewksbury, Mass.
49	Nov. 16	John Rutkowski	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Stanislawa Pawekczk	Lawrence, Mass.
50	Nov. 20	Lindsay L. Meister	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Minnie Catherine Peeler	Norwood, Mass.

No.	Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
51	Nov. 23	Lawrence Silvio Manica	Lowell, Mass.
		Rose Patricia DiPalma	Tewksbury, Mass.
52	Dec. 27	John J. Kelley	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Helen R. Boyce	West Newton, Mass.
53	Dec. 27	Richard R. Snyder	Fort Devens, Mass.
		Jacqueline Ryant	Fort Devens, Mass.
54	Dec. 28	James Manley	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Irene Elizabeth Roper	Tewksbury, Mass.
55	Dec. 28	Charles Edward Gray	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Helen Irene Carter	Tewksbury, Mass.

Deaths

Deaths recorded in the Town of Tewksbury
For the Year 1941

No.	Date of Death	Name	yrs.	months	days
1	Jan. 11	Alma Marie Wiggin	82	7	17
2	Jan. 17	Robert Satveley	65	1	11
3	Jan. 26	Charles McEvoy	79	6	—
1A	Jan. 19	Victor E. Browe	59	—	—
2A	Jan. 20	Catherine Rull	87	—	—
3A	Jan. 21	————	—	—	—
4	Feb. 3	Mary Ella (Mitchell) Potter	82	4	—
5	Feb. 2	Nellie Esty	70	—	—
6	Feb. 13	Eugene E. Harnden	75	6	24
4A	Jan. 7	William Petrusius	81	—	—
5A	Jan. 17	Harry Thompson	72	6	24
6A	Feb. 20	Leo Foster Wright	—	1	16
7A	Feb. 16	Harvey Bailey	71	—	—
7	Mar. 8	Theresa V. Keyes Lussier	66	—	—
8	Mar. 9	Catherine Quigley	86	—	—
8A	Feb. 23	Peter Cummings	73	—	27
9A	Feb. 23	Lucie R. Harvey	78	7	16
9	Mar. 22	Frank Gilmour Gulliland	70	11	12
10	Mar. 24	Sarah E. Reilly	77	—	—
11A	Jan. 31				
11	Apr. 14	Antonia (daMarali) Martin	76	—	—
12	Apr. 28	Henrietta Melvina Kemp	83	3	7
12A	May 2	Paul Agneta	—	1	15
13A	Apr. 8	Daniel MacKillop	68	8	—

No.	Date of Death	Name	yrs.	months	days
13	May 19	John Frances Cassidy	44	9	12
14	June 9	Edward F. Goes	1	1	9
15	June 1	Anthony G. Kelley	65	3	17
14A	June 11	Nicholas Trett	75	—	—
15A	June 30	Bernard J. S. Greene	72	7	3
16A	July 17	Daniel H. Downey	80	6	16
17A	July 27	John Flaherty	69	—	—
16	Aug. 8	Richard Boisvert	7	—	—
18A	Aug. 15	Thomas Bernard Joyce	76	9	21
17	Aug. 16	Ellen May (Courtnell) MacKay	61	—	—
18	Sept. 25	Wilhelmina Oliver	78	3	7
19A	Oct. 1	John H. Doherty	55	—	—
19	Oct. 23	Florian Kohanski	71	—	—
20	Sept. 6	Catherine A. (Hickey) Dacey	82	—	—
20A	July 24	Hormidas Provencher	50	5	9
21A	Sept. 15	Rosemary Brothers	—	3	26
22A	Oct. 13	Dora Schmidt	77	7	22
21	Nov. 15	Mary Grazis Barousky	56	—	—
23A	Nov. 24	Daniel J. Baril	45	9	13
22	Dec. 21	Eleanor J. Blaisdell	81	4	19

RECAPITULATION

Births		52
a. Males	26	
b. Females	26	
Marriages		55
Deaths		45
a. Males	27	
b. Females	18	

THE TOWN CLERK HEREBY GIVES NOTICE THAT HE IS PREPARED TO FURNISH PARENTS, HOUSEHOLDERS, PHYSICIANS AND MIDWIVES, APPLYING THEREFOR, BLANKS FOR THE RETURN OF BIRTHS AS REQUIRED BY LAW.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Received and paid to the Town Treasurer for Licenses, permits, fees, etc., Six thousand one hundred eighty-five dollars and thirty one cents. ($6,185.31)

Received and paid to the Town Treasurer for Dog Licenses, Seven hundred forty-four dollars and eighty cents. ($744.80)

Received and paid to the Division of Fisheries and game for Licenses, Three hundred eighty-six dollars. ($386.00)

This makes a total of Seven thousand three hundred sixteen dollars and eleven cents ($7,316.11) received by the Town Clerk in the year 1941 and paid into the proper accounts.

Attest:

H. LOUIS FARMER, Jr.,

Town Clerk.

May I take this opportunity to thank each and every resident of Tewksbury for their splendid cooperation during the past four years, it has been a pleasure to serve you as Town Clerk and it is with regret that I relinquish the duties of that office.

H. LOUIS FARMER, Jr.,

May 16, 1941.

To the Board of Selectmen,

Mr. Irving F. French, Chairman,

Tewksbury, Massachusetts.

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report of an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Tewksbury for the period from December 5, 1939 to April 5, 1941, made in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44, General Laws. This is in the form of a report made to me by Mr. Herman B. Dine, Assistant Director of Accounts.

Very truly yours,

THEODORE N. WADDELL,

Director of Accounts.

Mr. Theodore N. Waddell,

Director of Accounts,

Department of Corporations and Taxation,

State House, Boston.

Sir:

As directed by you, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Tewksbury for the period from December 5, 1939, the date of the previous audit, to April 5, 1941, and submit the following report thereon:

The financial transaction as recorded on the books of the several departments receiving or disbursing town funds or committing bills for collection were examined and checked.

The books and accounts of the town treasurer were examined and checked in detail. The recorded receipts were analyzed and compared with the collector's records of payments to the treasurer, with the records in the several departments in which money was collected for the town, and with other sources from which money was paid into the town treasury. The disbursements were checked with the approved bills on file and the treasurer's records of appropriation accounts were analyzed and checked to the town auditor's records.

The cash book was footed and the cash balance on April 5, 1941, was verified by reconciliation of the bank balance with a statement furnished by the bank of deposit.

The payments on account of debt and interest were checked with the amounts falling due and with cancelled securities and coupons on file.

The savings bank books representing the investment of the several trust and investment funds in the custody of the town treasurer were personally examined. The income was proved and the disbursements were verified.

The tax titles taken by the town were checked with the actual deeds on file, and the subsequent taxes added to the tax title account were checked with the tax commitments.

In checking the paid bills on file it was noted that the cost of three trucks purchased in 1940 was charged to the appropriation for W.P.A. projects, although there did not appear to be a vote of the town authorizing such purchase. It is recommended that the purchase of major equipment be specifically provided for by vote of the town.

In connection with the road machinery fund established by vote of the town, attention is called to the fact that receipts from the rental of highway equipment credited to the fund may be used only by vote of the town appropriating a specific amount from such receipts on hand for the maintenance and operation of road machinery or for the purchase of new equipment.

The books and accounts of the tax collector were examined and checked. The taxes outstanding according to the previous examination were audited, and all subsequent commitments were proved with the assessors' warrants. The recorded collections were checked in detail to the commitment books, the payments to the treasurer were verified, the abatements were compared with the assessors' records of abatements granted, and the outstanding accounts were listed.

The outstanding accounts, as listed, were verified by mailing notices to a number of persons whose names appeared on the books as owing money to the town. In response to these notices, replies were received from three persons who claimed that their taxes had been paid. These claims were investigated and upon receipt of proof of payment, the sum of $128.03 was charged to the collector. From the remaining replies received it would appear that the outstanding accounts, as now listed, are correct.

It is recommended that the collector make a daily reconciliation of his cash.

The financial accounts of the town clerk were examined and checked. The records of receipts on account of dog, sporting and town licenses issued were examined and checked, the payments to the treasurer and the Division of Fisheries and Game being verified.

The town clerk's records of town meeting votes were examined and the appropriations listed.

The records of public welfare accounts receivable were examined, the charges were analyzed, the payments to the treasurer were verified, the disallowances were checked, and the outstanding accounts were listed and proved.

In addition to the departments mentioned, the available records of all other departments receiving money for the town were checked and the payments to the treasurer were verified.

The surety bonds of the several town officials for the faithful performance of their duties were examined and found to be in proper form.

Appended to this report is a balance sheet showing the financial condition of the town, together with tables showing a reconciliation of the treasurer's, collector's, and town clerk's cash, summaries of the tax and departmental accounts, together with tables showing the transactions and condition of the trust and investment funds.

For the cooperation rendered by the various town officials during the progress of the audit, I wish, on behalf of my assistants and for myself, to express appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN B. DINE,

Assistant Director of Accounts.

TOWN OF TEWKSBURY -- BALANCE SHEET -- APRIL 5, 1941

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

ASSETS

Cash:		
General	$ 53,708.75	
Alice A. Pike, Former Collector ..	6.63	
Discrepancy Robert W. Barron, Former Collector	169.22	
		$ 53.884.60
Accounts Receivable:		
Taxes:		
Property 1931	$ 8.40	
Property 1932	6.65	
Property 1933	.74	
Poll 1934	16.00	
Property 1934	.95	
Poll 1935	26.00	
Property 1935	.93	
Poll 1936	50.00	
Property 1936	110.23	
Poll 1937	70.00	
Property 1937	156.22	
Poll 1938	242.00	
Property 1938	821.80	
Poll 1939	266.00	
Personal 1939	141.01	

LIABILITIES AND RESERVES

Temporary Loans:		
In Anticipation of Revenue 1940	$ 25,000.00	
In Anticipation of Revenue 1941	60,000.00	
		$ 85,000.00
Dog Licenses—Due County		31.80
Road Machinery Fund		999.15
Overestimates 1940:		
State Parks and Reservations Tax		16.77
Tax Title Possessions Sales Surplus		137.03
Federal Grants:		
Old Age Assistance, Admin.	$ 42.09	
Old Age Assistance, Assistance	1,724.78	
Aid to Dependent Children, Aid	349.87	
		$ 2,116.74
Highway, Chapter 500		.29
Unexpended Appropriation Balances		138,263.29
Reserve Fund—Overlay Surplus		1,110.17

Property 1939	8,352.52	
Poll 1940	406.00	
Personal 1940	781.09	
Property 1940	23,772.97	
Poll 1941	1,640.00	
		$ 36,869.51
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes:		
Levy of 1934	$ 11.70	
Levy of 1935	102.09	
Levy of 1936	87.48	
Levy of 1937	148.37	
Levy of 1938	57.34	
Levy of 1939	96.42	
Levy of 1940	118.22	
Levy of 1941	3,201.35	
		$ 3,822.97
Tax Titles		16,566.23
Tax Possessions		4,213.74
Departmental:		
Outside Relief	$ 1,125.20	
Old Age Assistance	628.01	
		$ 1,753.21
Overdrawn Account—		
Road Machinery Account		683.22
Overlay Reserved for Abatement of Taxes:		
Levy of 1936	$ 96.32	
Levy of 1937	226.22	
Levy of 1938	691.48	
Levy of 1939	1,167.27	
Levy of 1940	1,112.74	
		$ 3,294.03
Revenue Reserved Until Collected:		
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax	$ 3,822.97	
Tax Title	20,779.97	
Departmental	1,753.21	
		$ 26,356.15
Surplus Revenue		21,621.90

Overlay Deficits:				
Levy of 1933		$ 19.09		
Levy of 1934		90.46		
Levy of 1935		130.77		
Levy of 1941		8.00		
			$ 248.32	
Revenue 1941 — Appropriations				
Voted		$ 180,339.36		
Deduct:				
Poll taxes 1941 assessed	$ 2,156.00			
Estimated Receipts Collected to date	17,277.84			
		19,433.84		
			160,905.52	
			$278,947.32	$278,947.32

DEBT ACCOUNTS

Net Funded or Fixed Debt	$ 34,000.00	High School Construction Loan	$ 34,000.00

TRUST AND INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS

		Foster School Fund	$ 1,128.69
Trust and Investment Funds:		George A. Pierce Memorial Day Essay Fund	100.67
Cash and Securities:		Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	1,667.57
In Custody of Town Treasurer	$ 19,600.09	Municipal Building Insurance Fund	16,703.16
	$19,600.09		$19,600.09

AUDITOR'S REPORT

HIGHWAYS

Appropriation	$ 17,000.00	
Less amount credited to Chapter 81	9,450.00	
		$ 7,550.00

Expenditures

Daniel Sterling, Superintendent	$ 253.75
Thomas Manley, chauffeur	249.00
Frank Goodwin, chauffeur	253.00
Homer Darby, chauffeur	247.25
Charles Bowden, chauffeur	225.25
Richard O'Neill, chauffeur	257.50
Roland Robinson, laborer	236.50
Alton Parker, laborer	197.57
Joseph Aubut, laborer	211.37
Edward Penney, laborer	181.93
William Penney, laborer	178.48
Francis Brown, laborer	219.71
Winthrop Jones, laborer	208.84
Joseph Cisluysis, laborer	105.34
Nelson Brown, laborer	190.44
George Galé, laborer	151.34
Emanuel Martin, laborer	5.75
Harry Patterson, Jr., laborer	21.25
George Manley, laborer	7.50
Eugene Manley, laborer	1.15
Lincoln Gerrish, chauffeur	36.75
John Dupee, laborer	23.46
Frank Kane, mason	11.25
Frank Welch, plowing sidewalks	16.50
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	99.08
Harvey E. Yoken, fender damaged by truck	18.10
Lowell Typewriter Exchange, repairs and rental of typewriters	13.50
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	6.35
Jacob Halpersohn, gravel	357.75
Wilmington Mirror, traffic rules and orders	31.00
Mildred Sawyer, clerical work	102.56
Dana F. Perkins, services as surveyor	230.00
Rogers & Sherburne, legal services	118.65

Trimount Bituminous Products Co., road oil	1,319.29	
McCarthy's Express, express	.35	
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps	6.00	
New England Metal Culvert Co., parts	5.25	
John Belton, sand	30.45	
Russell Lumber Co., lumber	86.86	
Currier's Express, express	2.85	
State Prison, guard posts, nuts and bolts	71.25	
Clifford T. Whittaker, brooms	4.80	
Mary O'Neill, gravel	34.88	
Daniel Sterling, paid for supplies	.30	
E. A. Foster, gravel	16.80	
Wadsworth, Howland Co., Inc., paint	39.50	
Hedge & Mattheis Co., supplies	8.72	
George Gale, compensation	97.80	
Traders & Mechanics Insurance Co., premiums on policies	44.65	
Louis Berube, use of telephone	13.60	
Marshall Alling, M.D., consultation	10.00	
Lowell Glass Co., Inc., glass and putty	.94	
Louis Marion & Sons, window and labor	5.48	
Registry of Motor Vehicles, registration of trucks	14.00	
Town of Chelmsford, moving grader and gasoline	13.81	
Conmmonwealth of Mass., Dept. of Public Welfare, hospital care of George Gale	45.14	
Myers Auto Supply Co., parts	136.08	
Mello Wrecking Co., bricks	9.00	
Curley Grain Co., coke	19.50	
Welch Brothers Co., labor and parts repairing hot water system	136.36	
New England Concrete Pipe Corp., pipe	35.81	
Cities Service Oil Co., gasoline	217.71	
Wilder Grain Co., cement	3.50	
Lowell Coke Co., coke	18.60	
Winchester Brick Co., cement brick	6.75	
P. Falardeau, parts	19.95	
Cogan's Auto Supply Co., flasher units and lights	12.25	$ 6,956.10
Unexpended		$ 593.90

CHAPTER 81

Allotment from General Highways	$ 9,450.00	
Allotment by State	9,450.00	
	18,900.00	
Less amount credited to Highway Machinery Fund	2.599.51	
		$ 16,300.49

Expenditures

Daniel Sterling, Superintendent	$ 660.00	
Thomas Manley, chauffeur	542.00	
Frank Goodwin, chauffeur	540.50	
Charles Bowden, chauffeur	555.50	
Homer Darby, chauffeur	614.50	
Richard O'Neill, chauffeur	468.50	
Roland Robinson, laborer	576.50	
Alton Parker, laborer	479.55	
Joseph Aubut, laborer	529.00	
Edward Penney, laborer	474.95	
William Penney, laborer	517.50	
George Gale, laborer	504.39	
Francis Brown, laborer	530.84	
Winthrop Jones, laborer	544.64	
Joseph Cisluysis, laborer	18.40	
Nelson Brown, laborer	560.51	
Lincoln Gerrish, laborer	238.05	
John Dupee, laborer	109.25	
Daniel McLean, laborer	85.10	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., road oil	5,580.34	
The Barrett Co., Tarvia	2,002.03	
John Belton, sand	145.35	
State Prison, flange and grate	23.09	
		$ 16,300.49

HIGHWAY MACHINERY FUND

Appropriation			$ 190.90
Credited from Chapter 81 Pay Rolls	$ 2,599.51		
Credited from Chapter 90 Pay Rolls	489.00		
Credited from Chapter 90, North St. Pay Rolls..	979.87		4,068.38
			$ 4,259.28

Towers Motor Parts Corp., parts and supplies	$ 312.39	
Colonial Beacon Oil Co., parts and supplies	75.51	
Lowell Iron & Steel Co., hardware	.96	
Clark-Wilcox Co., parts	23.60	
North Tewksbury Garage, labor, parts and supplies	848.72	
Middlesex Supply Co., supplies	64.51	
Chelmsford Centre Chevrolet Co., labor, parts and supplies	13.90	
Lowell Co-Operative Bank, storage of trucks.....	204.00	
Lowell Glass Co., Inc., glass	2.00	
Mrs. Lucia, gasoline	1.55	
Donohue Tire Co., Inc., parts	15.60	
J. P. Falardeau, repairs and parts, sharpening Picks	86.30	
John C. Bennett, tools	34.20	
Mack Motor Truck Co., oil float	1.25	
Arthur Tremblay, gasoline and kerosene	14.96	
Cities Service Oil Co., gasoline and oil	1,351.17	
John G. MacLellan, range oil	26.58	
Henry P. Foley, tools	58.73	
Billerica Motor Sales Co., stickers and labor.....	3.00	
Traffic & Road Equipment Co., rakes	6.00	
Dyer Sales & Machinery Co., parts	20.00	
Osterman Coal Co., coke	35.66	
Edward Sheehan, gasoline	5.35	
The General Tire Co., tire	11.00	
Bulley's Filling Station, gasoline and oil	5.56	
The Buffalo-Springfield Roller Co., parts	78.39	
Reliable Tire Co., tires and tubes	85.00	
C. B. Coburn Co., paint supplies	18.76	
Louis Marion, filing saws	1.50	
Beech Trucks & Parts Co., Inc., parts	100.00	
The Center Tire & Cycle Shop, repairs	39.75	
Witkum Welding Co., mounting dump body on truck	60.00	
Union Crayon Co., lumber crayons	.75	
Town Line Garage, labor and supplies	1.50	$ 3,608.15
		$ 651.13

CHAPTER 90—MAINTENANCE

Appropriation	$ 2,500.00	
Allotment by State	2,000.00	
Allotment by County	2,000.00	
		$ 6,500.00
Less amount credited to Highway Machinery Fund		489.00
		$ 6,011.00

Expenditures

Daniel Sterling, Superintendent	$ 120.00	
Thomas Manley, chauffeur	183.75	
Frank Goodwin, chauffeur	163.00	
Homer Darby, chauffeur	92.75	
Charles Bowden, chauffeur	163.00	
Richard O'Neill, chauffeur	105.25	
Alton Parker, laborer	146.28	
Joseph Aubut, laborer	146.28	
Edward Penney, laborer	143.29	
William Penney, laborer	146.74	
George Gale, laborer	127.19	
Francis Brown, laborer	99.59	
Winthrop Jones, laborer	127.88	
Lincoln Gerrish, laborer	103.50	
John Dupee, laborer	173.86	
Roland Robinson, laborer	155.50	
Nelson Brown, laborer	97.29	
Daniel McLean, laborer	28.52	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., road oil	1,480.33	
Charles Haas, gravel	236.30	
The Barrett Co., Tarvia	442.03	
John Brady, gravel	216.68	
John Belton, sand	9.60	
John McCourt Co., topping	181.00	
The General Crushed Stone Co., stone	1,121.39	
		$ 6,011.00

NORTH STREET—Chapter 90

Appropriation	$ 3,000.00	
Allotment by State	6,000.00	
Allotment by County	3,000.00	
		$ 12,000.00
Less amount credited to Highway Machinery Fund		979.87
		$ 11,020.13

Expenditures		
Richard O'Neill, Superintendent	$ 285.75	
Thomas Manley, chauffeur	282.84	
Frank Goodwin, chauffeur	279.79	
Homer Darby, chauffeur	270.34	
Charles Bowden, chauffeur	297.19	
Roland Robinson, laborer	298.75	
Alton Parker, laborer	230.05	
Joseph Aubut, laborer	226.75	
Edward Penney, laborer	289.25	
William Penney, laborer	222.25	
George Gale, laborer	107.75	
Francis Brown, laborer	266.39	
Winthrop Jones, laborer	220.00	
Nelson Brown, laborer	226.75	
Lincoln Gerrish, laborer	259.94	
Daniel McLean, laborer	213.15	
John Dupee, laborer	215.50	
Frank Kane, laborer	57.75	
John Page, laborer	112.25	
Emanuel Martin, laborer	99.75	
Converse Parker, laborer	61.25	
Eugene Manley, chauffeur	59.15	
State Prison, frame and grates	17.19	
New England Metal Culvert Co., pipe and bands	225.24	
Explosive Supply Co., Inc., gelatine and caps	110.39	
Daniel T. Sullivan, cement and brick	20.00	
Wilder Grain Co., cement and lime	31.60	
John Brady, use of gas shovel and trucks	2,106.00	
Charles Haas, compressor operator	354.37	
Dracut Water Supply District, use of compressor	279.38	
Cawley Coal Co., lime	1.20	
Anthony Snowsey, compressor operator	6.75	
Earl Lye, use of truck and operator	40.50	
Edgar Hinton, Jr., truck and operator	157.50	
John McAndrew, truck and operator	288.00	
Town of Chelmsford, use of grader	106.19	
Edward Dryden, grader operator	59.50	
Arthur Marcelle, gravel	75.68	
Nelson Cement Stone Co., Inc., guard rail posts	126.40	
Jacob Halpersohn, gravel	235.20	
Mary O'Neill, gravel	235.43	$ 9,059.11
Unexpended balance carried forward to 1942		$ 1,961.02

SCHOOLS

Appropriation ..... $ 60,000.00

Expenditures

Teachers

Margaret Mercier, supervisor	$ 437.46
Angelica Carabello, supervisor	213.36
Alice Sturtevant, supervisor	320.00
Whitman Pearson, principal	1,591.68
Lawrence McGowan, teacher	1,094.68
Roland Bourdon, teacher	801.68
Evelyn Dutton, teacher	1,330.00
Kathryn Chandler, teacher	1,417.16
Marjorie Scoboria, teacher	1,330.00
Catherine Maguire, teacher	1,330.00
Phyllis Moran, teacher	758.00
Doris Groesbeck, teacher	1,171.32
Elizabeth Mulry, teacher	1,053.83
Fatoula A. Papaconstaninou	90.00
Ethelyn Howard, principal	1,584.00
Dorothy Ward, teacher	513.35
Elizabeth Flynn, teacher	1,200.00
Marion Piper, teacher	1,113.00
Doris Blake, teacher	1,122.00
Virginia Cunningham, teacher	965.68
Mildred Rollo, teacher	611.68
Winifred Colbath, teacher	965.68
Mary Katherina, teacher	855.00
Elizabeth Hill, teacher	668.50
Alberta Ringer, teacher	604.86
Elizabeth Reynolds, teacher	965.68
Margaret Hedstrom, teacher	573.00
Eva Hersey, teacher	1,140.00
Ruth Lyons, teacher	965.68
Dorothy Ogston, teacher	823.18
Mary E. Garland, substitute	56.00
Katherine Meloy, teacher	270.32
Esther Rynne, substitute	44.00
Rena Theberge, substitute	38.00
Margaret M. Sanders, substitute	80.00
Alyce G. Jones, substitute	12.00
Louise Murray, substitute	8.00
Virginia O'Rourke, substitute	28.00
Mary Shea, supervisor	233.32
Richard Miller, principal	689.32

David Lynch, teacher	376.00	
Leonore C. Meehen, teacher	344.68	
Joseph King, teacher	310.00	
James Sampson, teacher	376.00	
Gertrude Holt, teacher	282.00	
Josephine MacLellan, teacher	266.32	
Lora Van Bergen, teacher	266.32	
Harriet Donehue, supervisor	62.49	
Albert R. Mooney, substitute	12.00	
Katherine Riley, substitute	14.00	
		$ 31,379.23

Fuel and Janitor

Harry Wiley, janitor	$ 1,300.00	
Walter Lavell, janitor	1,510.00	
William Leighton, janitor	520.00	
Irving Bailey, janitor	656.00	
Wilmington Coal Co., coal	406.11	
Lowell Gas Light Co., gas	127.53	
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	.80	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	976.62	
C. H. Hobson & Son, boiler brushes	3.75	
William M. Horner, supplies	105.20	
H. W. Burlingame, cotton waste	6.00	
Workshop for the Blind, mops	4.50	
State Prison Colony, brushes and handles	28.81	
Osterman Coal Co., stoker repairs	15.00	
Harry Patterson, janitor	31.00	
National Coal Sales Co., coal	1,448.54	
Wally's Quality Food Store, supplies	2.47	
Charles Hacker, janitor	260.00	
Mrs. Bridget Tansey, cleaning at Foster School	1.25	
Mrs. Helen Brabant, cleaning at Shawsheen School	10.00	
Mrs. Chas. Hacker, cleaning at Shawsheen School	10.00	
Mrs. Anna O'Connell, cleaning at Shawsheen School	10.00	
Carbide & Carbon Chemicals Corp., pyrofax	30.00	
A. G. Pollard Co., supplies	8.23	
Arthur Tremblay, supplies	8.18	
Sanascent Co., supplies	20.00	
George Tolstrup, janitor	280.00	
George Brabant, wood for North School	7.00	
John G. MacLellan, range oil, drum, faucet and stand	8.50	
		$ 7,795.49

Transportation

Omer Blanchard, driving bus	1,950.00	
Fred H. Garlick, driving bus	1,950.00	
Anthony Furtado, driving bus	1,950.00	
Eastern Mass. Street Ry. Co., transportation of pupils	2,900.00	
		$ 8,750.00

Supervision

Stephen G. Bean		$ 877.56

Books and Supplies

Hagan's Handicraft Supplies, supplies	$ 5.40	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, letterheads	2.50	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	28.09	
Walter H. Baker & Co., books	13.70	
F. J. Flemings, Est., supplies	158.70	
Pratt & Forrest Co., lumber	8.96	
Wright & Potter Printing Co., blanks	2.07	
Ginn & Co., books	165.34	
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc., desk, books and supplies	310.54	
The John C. Winston Co., books	12.20	
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies	1,082.17	
Milton Bradley Co., pencils	18.30	
The Thompson Hardware Co., hardware	38.89	
The Bon Marche, books	.70	
Schoolcrafters, Inc., crayons	24.17	
Longmans, Green & Co., books	51.36	
Silver Burdett Co., music	38.06	
Beckley Cardy Co., books	.99	
O. H. Toothaker, maps	31.45	
The American Book Co., books	164.26	
Pratt & Forrest Co., lumber	25.09	
The Boston Music Co., music	20.98	
Fred Howard, first aid supplies	11.02	
Harold Flammer, music	.48	
Charles Scribner's Sons, books	12.26	
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	3.46	
Donovan's, supplies	.80	
World Book Co., books	18.44	
Science Research Associates, subscription	2.50	
Shawprint, Inc., purchase orders	35.70	
A. G. Pollard Co., supplies	12.15	
Arlo Publishing Co., books	7.04	
Scott, Foresman & Co., books	64.66	
The Macmillan Co., books	15.05	

The Studio Publications, Inc., books	9.02	
D. Appleton-Century Co., books	20.29	
D. C. Heath & Co., books	8.74	
Allyn & Bacon, books	197.95	
Reformatory for Women, flag	3.88	
News Map of the Week, Inc., subscriptions	11.67	
Iroquois Publishing Co., Inc., books	8.21	
Central Scientific Co., supplies	8.60	
Benjamin H. Sanborn & Co., supplies	1.72	
American Educational Press, supplies	1.85	
Boston Janitors' Supply Co., Inc.. supplies	5.00	
		$ 2,664.41

School Houses

Mack Courser, labor	$ 70.20	
Bennett Bros., servicing pump & tank, supplies	20.95	
Middlesex Supply Co., hardware and plumbing supplies	111.04	
North Tewksbury Garage, door latches	1.25	
James Twohey, painting	16.00	
Derby Electric Motors Co., servicing signal system, repairs and supplies	34.67	
Wilmington Builders Supply Co., supplies	10.79	
Lowell Iron & Steel Co., irons	5.20	
G. C. Prince & Son., Inc., paint supplies	59.38	
The Thompson Hardware Co., hardware	40.12	
Arthur Tremblay, gasoline, oil and supplies	8.44	
Pratt & Forrest Lumber Co., lumber	140.43	
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies, desks and chairs	532.63	
C. H. Hobson & Son, labor and material	38.85	
Osterman Coal Co., parts & repairs for stoker	27.25	
Jenness C. Dalton, repairs on door check	2.25	
Louis Marion & Sons, labor at Foster and High Schools	206.75	
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	151.55	
J. R. Scott, paint and labor	205.00	
F. L. Kane, repairs	6.00	
Wadsworth, Howland Co., Inc., paint	13.44	
Russell Lumber Co., shingles	85.18	
Fred Lunn & Son, labor on Foster School bldg	582.85	
Daniel T. Sullivan, lime mortar	.65	
George Tolstrup, labor and supplies	7.60	
William H. Dewing, labor	4.50	
Edward E. Babb & Co., fixtures	6.96	
The Robertson Co., Inc., range and pipe	51.66	
		$ 2,441.59

Massachusetts School Fund

Massachusetts Board of Retirement	$	1,395.50

Miscellaneous

Fred H. Garlick, trucking and driving bus	$	70.00
Purity Spring Water Co., spring water		43.30
Gertrude Rutledge, care of cafeteria		10.00
Scripture's Laundry, laundry		5.96
Underwood Elliott Fisher Co., exchange of typewriters		47.50
Lowell Gas Light Co., moving and connecting ranges and Electrolux		6.25
Royal Typewriter Co., typewriters		95.00
The Bon Marche, supplies		9.06
A. G. Pollard Co., supplies		19.62
Luther R. Baker, moving piano		7.00
C. B. Coburn Co., extinguisher refills and clock		6.91
First National Stores, Inc., supplies		16.48
Anderson Bros., milk		9.01
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones		94.31
Remington Rand, Inc., exchange of typewriters		47.50
Charles Hazel, basketball coach		250.00
International Business Machines Corp., servicing clock system		15.00
Donovan's celluloid		1.80
Stephen G. Bean, travel expenses		101.00
Stephen G. Bean, clerical service		7.50
Stephen G. Bean, telephone and postage		9.50
Anthony Furtado, Jr., driving bus		15.00
Middlesex County, support of pupil at Training School		46.00
The Robertson Co., kitchen supplies		42.98
Edward J. Bellerose, cart wheels		3.00
Lowell Sewing Machine Shop, parts		1.35
O. N. Blanchard, driving bus		7.00
Maude B. Gray, subscriptions		29.75
A. J. Fairgrieve, fire insurance premium		30.66
J. Gordon Dodge, servicing lawn mowers		4.00
Carbide & Carbon Chemical Corp., pyrofax gas		22.50
May L. Larrabee, telephone		44.15
May L. Larrabee, paid for supplies		1.40
J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing		35.25
Walter Doucette, moving case of birds to High School		2.00
Whitman Pearson, telephone, box rent & supplies		8.75

The Thompson Hardware Co., supplies	3.10	
Reformatory for Women, flags	13.51	
Lowell Rendering Co., fertilizer	5.60	
Harry Wiley, attendance officer	50.00	
Walter W. Coburn, tuning piano	3.50	
Evelyn Dutton, lettering diplomas	32.15	
Mrs. Grace Dawson, pianist, Grade School graduation	3.00	
Wally's Quality Food Store, groceries	41.37	
Harding Typewriter Co., servicing and parts	78.25	
Alyce O'Brien, clerical service	42.50	
S. S. Kresge Co., supplies	2.70	
H. P. Sweet, eggs for High School	1.70	
John C. Bennett, parts	5.25	
Frank D. Corr, labor	14.00	
Fred. C. Church & Co., premiums	132.69	
Boston & Maine RR., rent of pipe privilege	5.00	
John H. Seifer, repairs to clocks	4.50	
Charles W. Fenerty, labor	6.00	
R. L. Miller, postage & insurance registration	9.04	
Mollie Medcraft, subscription	1.20	
Derby Electric Motors Co., wire, repairs and installation	21.86	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., overhauling mimeograph and typewriter	10.55	
Traders & Mechanics Insurance Co., premium	24.56	
Federal Mutual Fire Ins. Co., premiums	66.84	
Hingham Mutual Fire Ins. Co., premium	41.19	
Merrimac Mutual Fire Ins. Co., premiums	177.21	
Edith Haines, taking school census	35.00	
J. Harper Gale, toll calls and writing certificates	39.40	
Ralph Battles, writing certificates	3.00	
Dorothy Ackles, clerical services	25.00	
Rogers & Sherburne, legal services	12.00	
The Arrow System, reconditioning athletic apparel	272.13	
Lumbermen's Mutual Casualty Co., boiler policy premium	269.98	
Holyoke Mutual Fire Ins. Co., premium	93.56	
Gaumont Bros., Frigidaire, Shawsheen School	125.00	
Commissioner of Public Safety, inspection of boiler	5.00	
Lull & Hartford, athletic supplies	4.25	
		$ 2,848.08

School Nurse

Miss Edith Haines, services		$ 1,300.00

Medical Inspection

Dr. H. M. Larrabee, school physician		$ 250.00
Appropriation for Schools		$ 60,000.00
Total expenditures		59,701.86
Unexpended		$ 298.14

Vocational School

Appropriation		$ 800.00

Expenditures

City of Lowell, tuition		$ 632.00	
City of Boston, tuition		161.57	
			793.57
Unexpended			$ 6.43

PUBLIC WELFARE

Appropriation		$ 12,000.00
Expended for Welfare		11,224.56
Unexpended		$ 775.44

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

Appropriation		$ 3,500.00	
Received Federal Grants	$2,191.96		
Brought forward from 1940	700.87		
		2,892.83	
Received Federal Aid, Administration		51.14	
			6,443.97
Expended under Town Appropriation		$ 3,495.50	
Expended under U. S. Grant		2,649.00	
Expended under Administration		51.14	
			$ 6,195.64
Unexpended under Town Appropriation		4.50	
Unexpended under U. S. Grant and carried forward to 1942		243.83	
			$ 248.33

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Appropriation		$ 13,000.00	
Received Federal Aid, U. S. Grant	$ 10,644.96		
Brought Forward from 1940	1.55		
		10,646.51	
Received Federal Grants, Administration		357.98	
			$ 24,004.49
Expended under Town Appropriation		$ 12,998.77	
Expended under U. S. Grant		10,364.22	
Expended under Administration		357.98	
			$ 23,720.97
Unexpended under Town Appropriation		$ 1.23	
Unexpended under U. S. Grant and carried forward 1942		282.29	
			$ 283.52

AID, STATE AND MILITARY

Appropriation	$ 2,500.00
Expenditures	1,481.80
Unexpended	$ 1,018.20

Unpaid 1939 Welfare Bills
Due Cities and Towns

Appropriation	$ 836.98

Expenditures

Town of Auburn	$ 234.00	
City of Lynn	177.83	
Tewksbury State Hospital and Infirmary	419.15	
Town of Wilmington	6.00	
		$ 836.98

Unpaid 1940 Welfare Bills

Appropriation	$ 646.02

Expenditures

City of Lowell	$ 646.02

STATIONERY AND PRINTING

Appropriation		$ 1,150.00

Expenditures

Loella F. Dewing, advertising	$ 20.11	
Balfe Service Co., printing warrants	12.50	
Balfe Service Co., printing annual reports	606.87	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing	48.00	
The Lowell Sun, advertising	49.42	
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps and envelopes	108.20	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	38.30	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., printed forms & supplies	11.91	
Robinson Seal Co., Inc., supplies and binding records	88.92	
		$ 984.23
Unexpended		$ 165.77

SALARIES

Appropriation, Town Auditor		$ 700.00
Robert E. Gay, services		700.00
Appropriation, Town Treasurer		$ 1,500.00
George A. Marshall, services		1,476.64
Unexpended		$ 23.36
Appropriation, Selectmen		$ 1,100.00
Irving F. French, services	$ 400.00	
Duncan J. Cameron, services	350.00	
Bernard H. Greene, services	350.00	
		$ 1,100.00
Appropriation, Town Clerk		$ 750.00
H. Louis Farmer, Jr., services		750.00
Appropriation, Tax Collector		$ 1,850.00
Harry C. Dawson, services		1,850.00
Appropriation, School Committee		225.00
May L. Larrabee, services	$ 75.00	
J. Harper Gale, services	75.00	
Ralph Battles, services	75.00	
		$ 225.00
Appropration, Road Commissioners		$ 400.00
Thomas P. Sawyer, services	$ 200.00	
Chester Roper, services	100.00	
Louis Berube, services	100.00	
		$ 400.00

Appropriation, Election Officers		$ 50.00
William McGowan, services	$ 5.00	
Thomas Sullivan, services	6.00	
Anna McPhillips, services	5.00	
William Smith, services	5.00	
Jesse French, services	6.00	
William I. Bailey, services	5.00	
		$ 32.00
Unexpended		$ 18.00

INCIDENTALS

Appropriation	$ 900.00	
Transferred from Reserve Fund	281.00	
		$ 1,181.00

Expenditures

New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	$ 246.69
George A. Marshall, travel expenses	20.90
Director of Accounts, certifying notes	24.00
Fred C. Church & Co., Town Clerk's bond	7.50
Fred C. Church & Co., Treasurer's bond	108.00
Middlesex Co. Selectmen's Assoc., membership dues	6.00
William Pringle, care of South Cemetery	35.00
William Pringle, care of Old Cemetery	5.00
Appleton National Bank, safe deposit box	5.55
A. J. Fairgrieve, P. O. box rent	1.40
Irving F. French, travel expenses	8.00
Duncan J. Cameron, expenses to Boston	3.00
A. W. Wells, balance due on typewriter	20.00
E. H. King, paid express	.35
National Shawmut Bank, postage	.42
Cover Grain & Feed Co., lawn seed and fertilizer	3.30
Burroughs Adding Machine Co., servicing mach.	6.60
Duncan J. Cameron, investigation of Welfare cases	100.00
Star Sound Service, use of sound truck in aluminum drive	10.00
H. Louis Farmer, Jr., refund of overpayments	6.00
H. Louis Farmer, Jr., acknowledging deeds	7.00
Violet Holmes, course at Defense school	10.00
Commonwealth of Mass., Dept. of Public Welfare, amount due in settlement of E. W. Rowe case	46.60

G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., stamp	1.00	
Miss Susan R. Campbell, expenses to Dept. Public Welfare conference	3.50	
Tewksbury Cemetery Corp., care of Town Tomb and Lot	10.00	
Winthrop S. Jones, care of soldiers' lot	17.00	
Rogers & Sherburne, legal services	83.00	
R. E. Runels Construction Co., preparing case and testimony	50.00	
John C. Percival & Co., appraisal and testimony	175.00	
Robert E. Gay, Notary Public fees	3.50	$ 1,024.31
		$ 156.69

BOARD OF HEALTH

Appropriation ..... $ 4,000.00

Expenditures

Commonwealth of Mass., State Infirmary, care of T. B. cases	$ 236.58	
Middlesex Co. Sanatorium, care of town cases	2,098.25	
Middlesex Supply Co., rake	3.38	
MacGregor Instrument Co., repairing syringe	4.58	
Mack Courser, cleaning dump and putting up sign	4.00	
The Lowell Sun, advertising	3.13	
Dr. Thomas F. Brennan, professional services	26.00	
Loella Dewing, advertising	1.25	
Edith E. Haines, investigating health cases	210.00	
Walter Roberts, putting up sign	4.00	
Russell Lumber Co., lumber for signs	.87	
City of Lowell, treatment at Isolation Hospital	12.86	
Loring R. Kew, Deputy Sheriff, notice	1.80	
Dr. H. M. Larrabee, professional services	296.90	$ 2,903.60

Unexpended ..... $ 1,096.40

MEMORIAL DAY

Appropriation ..... $ 350.00

Expenditures

Lowell Cadet Band, band concert	$ 88.00	
S. Angove, expenses of firing squad	8.00	
Winthrop S. Jones, flags	21.00	
F. I. Carter & Sons, bouquets	7.50	
Eastern Mass. Street Ry. Co., transportation	16.00	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing programs, etc.	5.00	
Bessie S. Kobele, accompanist	5.00	

Ruth Kiernan, trumpet soloist	5.00	
Charles P. Howard, orator	15.00	
Ladies' Aid Society, dinners	130.00	
James H. Reynolds, services of Drum Corps for parade	15.00	
Nancy A. Trickey, soloist	10.00	
Patten & Co., 5 wreaths	15.00	$ 340.50
Unexpended		9.50

STREET LIGHTING

Appropriation		$ 6,135.00

Expenditures

Lowell Electric Light Corp., street lights		$ 6,095.98
Unexpended		$ 39.02

LIBRARY

Appropriation		$ 1,300.00
Dog Tax		653.57
		$ 1,953.57

Expenditures

DeWolfe & Fiske, books	$ 1,015.15	
Gaylord Bros. Inc., books and supplies	36.15	
Ruth W. Smith, expenses to Boston	24.00	
Maude B. Gray, subscriptions	60.75	
The Quincy Bookbinding Co., books	11.07	
Abbie M. Blaisdell, librarian	200.00	
Abbie M. Blaisdell, box rent and supplies	2.35	
Blanche King, assistant librarian	125.00	
Robert Nash, assistant librarian	107.00	
Dorothy Fitzgerald, expenses to Boston	12.00	
Imperial Book Co., books	53.52	
Jean Karr & Co., books	139.05	
J. J. & M. F. Norton, books and supplies	7.14	
Nathaniel Dame, books	28.35	
Anna Bischoff, librarian for the South district	10.00	
Dorothy Fitzgerald, librarian for the North district	10.00	
Edgar Smith, transporting books to outlying districts	87.50	
Lena J. Blaisdell, librarian for Wamesit district	10.00	$ 1,939.03
Unexpended		$ 14.54

TOWN HALL

Appropriation ..... $ 5,000.00

Expenditures

George K. James, janitor	$ 1,280.00
George K. James, paid for supplies	9.55
James Twohey, painting	112.50
Goodco Sanitary Products, disinfectant	27.00
Patrick Canavan, installing clocks and lights	5.00
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	415.96
Lowell Electric Light Corp., bulbs	9.06
C. B. Dolge Co., disinfectant	2.68
A. F. French & Co., table paper	26.67
Middlesex Supply Co., paint and supplies	38.69
Frank P. McCartin Co., time switch and lights	50.99
Elmer Olson, labor	5.00
Lowell Gas Light Co., gas	88.46
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone	165.56
C. B. Coburn Co., paint and supplies	20.48
Master Paint & Varnish Co., floor wax	6.25
Jeness C. Dalton, repairing door check	13.50
R. Dexter Tolman, repairing ballot box	2.55
J. R. Scott, labor and material	61.38
First National Stores, Inc., pails	.50
Fred C. Church & Co., insurance on Library and Town Hall	499.95
Thomas F. Sullivan, repairs	4.50
Wally's Quality Food Store, supplies	3.83
Hingham Mutual Fire Insurance Co., premium	137.73
Traders & Mechanics Mutual Ins. Co., premium	80.15
Merrimac Mutual Fire Ins. Co., premium	106.12
The Thompson Hardware Co., lawn mower	14.75
Osterman Coal Co., coal	469.41
Lyle, repairing clock	3.00
American Writing Ink Co., ink	3.30
Commissioner of Public Safety, inspection of boiler	10.00
George Brabant, wood	9.00
Arthur Tremblay, supplies	6.20
The Robertson Co., shades	74.00
George J. McCoy, cleaning and repairing town clock	40.00
A. J. Fairgrieve, fire insurance policy	287.50
A. G. Pollard Co., supplies	4.48

D. T. Sullivan Coal Co., cement	1.00	
George S. Harrington Co., stage curtains installed	265.00	$ 4,361.70
Unexpended		$ 638.30

GENERAL

Merchants National Bank, paid notes No. 227, No. 231, No. 232, No. 233	$ 80,000.00	
National Shawmut Bank, paid notes No. 229, No. 230, No. 234, No. 235	42,000.00	
Middlesex Co. Treasurer, T. B. assessment	1,139.63	
Middlesex Co. Treasurer, Dog licenses	747.80	
Middlesex Co. Treasurer, Sale of dogs	6.00	
Middlesex Co. Treasurer, County tax	7,033.13	
Commonwealth of Mass., State tax	12,210.00	
Commonwealth of Mass., Parks & Reservations	247.73	
Commonwealth of Mass., Auditing Municipal Accounts	15.62	
		$143,399.91

MOTH DEPARTMENT

Appropriation		$ 1,500.00

Expenditures

Harris Briggs, Jr., labor	30.00	
Napoleon Boucher, labor	90.75	
Samuel Feinstein, hauling tools	28.00	
Louis Brazee, labor	32.00	
Harris M. Briggs, services	$ 835.80	
Lincoln Gerrish, labor	8.00	
Edward Thoreson, labor	195.50	
Louis Stubbaum, labor	21.50	
Middlesex Machine Co., labor and parts	4.72	
Charles H. Buffum, gasoline and oil	17.24	
Bulley's Filling Station, gasoline	31.01	
Frank J. Sullivan, parts for truck	1.50	
Fitzhenry-Guptill Co., parts	1.25	
Converse Parker, labor	36.00	
Farm Service Stores, Inc., arsenate of lead	89.56	
C. B. Coburn Co., arsenate of lead	17.00	
Everett Haines, labor	2.00	
Moody Wiktorowicz, labor	46.00	
John C. Bennett, supplies	2.85	$ 1,490.68
Unexpended		$ 9.32

TREE WARDEN

Appropriation		$ 1,500.00

Expenditures

Harris M. Briggs, services	$ 576.00	
Earl Brown, labor	10.00	
Harris Briggs, Jr., labor	140.00	
Samuel Feinstein, hauling tools	16.00	
Louis Brazee, labor	20.00	
Bulley's Filling Station, gasoline, oil & packing	39.57	
Napoleon Boucher, labor and filing saws	86.50	
Joseph Martos, Delco generator	2.00	
North Tewksbury Garage, rental, labor, parts	22.15	
The Thompson Hardware Co., supplies	34.33	
Lincoln Gerrish, labor	1.00	
Earl Sands, labor	8.00	
F. & E. Bailey & Co., first aid supplies	4.50	
Mark Roper, Jr., labor	1.50	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	9.00	
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	3.33	
North Wilmington Nurseries, Norway maple	2.75	
Town Line Garage, sticker	1.00	
Frost Insecticide Co., pole and tree gun	28.75	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing	5.25	
Charles H. Buffum, gasoline	6.05	
Edward Thoreson, labor	166.00	
Louis Stubbaum, labor	2.00	
Frank Goddard, machine parts	6.56	
Frank J. Sullivan, supplies	1.50	
Anderson Bros., use of horse	44.00	
John Page, labor	177.00	
Osterman Coal Co., cement	3.50	
John C. Bennett, tools and supplies	24.69	
Moody Wiktorowicz, labor	44.00	
William H. Dewing, filing saws	4.20	
Ideal Key Shop, tools and filing saws	7.50	$ 1,498.63
Unexpended		$ 1.37

INTEREST

Appropriation		$ 250.00

Expenditures

Merchants Natonal Bank, discount on notes No. 231, No. 232, No. 233, No. 242	$ 225.60	
National Shawmut Bank, discount on notes No. 234, No. 235, No. 241	22.55	$ 248.15
Unexpended		$ 1.85

POLICE

Appropriation	$ 6,500.00
Transferred from Reserve Fund, Dec. 20, 1941	294.50
	$ 6,794.50

Expenditures

Cyril L. Barker, Chief	$ 2,185.00
Chester E. Burgess, services	940.00
Ross E. Sargent, services	226.50
Daniel Sheehan, services	144.00
Lauchie McPhail, services	535.10
George Hazel, services	285.00
City of Lowell, use of jail	71.75
City of Lowell, ambulance service	30.00
City of Lowell, radio service	65.00
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	3.95
Billerica Motor Sales Co., labor and parts	106.32
Billerica Motor Sales Co., exchange of Ford cars	300.00
Golen's Garage, labor and parts	49.25
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	154.09
Myers Auto Supply Co., supplies and parts	80.53
North Tewksbury Garage, repairs and zerone	2.35
Cities Service Oil Co., gasoline	443.54
Daniel Sterling, services	672.90
Harry L. Morrison, transferring radio to 1941 cruiser	25.00
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps	12.00
Iver Johnson Sporting Goods Co., supplies	139.59
James Manley, services	44.70
James H. Burns, transportation of prisoners, etc	18.80
Isidore J. Trudel, transportation of prisoners	5.90
J. H. Broadbent & Son, envelopes, etc.	12.75
Post Office Locksmith, keys and locks repaired	2.35
Frank P. McCartin Co., radio parts	6.65

C. Abbott Battles, services	24.00	
Robert E. Gay, Notary Public fees	1.00	
S. M. Spencer Mfg. Co., police badges	47.25	
Harold F. DeCourcy, supplies	14.45	
Donovan's, police belts	22.75	$ 6,672.47
Unexpended		$ 122.03

PARKS AND COMMONS

Appropriation		$ 225.00

Expenditures

Walter Roberts, decorating band stand, care of lights and labor	57.00	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	8.00	
J. Gordon Dodge, servicing lawn mowers	2.00	
North Wilmington Nurseries, Mountain Ash	10.00	
Corey's Steeple Jacks, painting flag pole	5.00	
Reformatory for Women, flag	18.74	
Osterman Coal Co., cement	2.10	
Lowell Rendering Co., fertilizer	18.04	
John C. Bennett, lawn mower	16.95	
Harris M. Briggs, care of Common and flag	85.00	$ 222.83
Unexpended		$ 2.17

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation		$ 5,000.00
Transferred from Reserve Fund		582.00
		$ 5,582.00

Expenditures

A. S. Haines, Chief	$ 1,820.00	
Charles W. Knox & Son, insurance on firemen	187.50	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	177.46	
North Tewksbury Garage, storage	84.00	
North Tewksbury Garage, labor and parts	107.76	
Hinton's Service Station, garage rent	90.00	
Hinton's Service Station, supplies and telephone calls	83.28	
E. A. Wilson Co., fuel oil and labor on boiler	162.28	

Donovan's, auto supplies	1.34
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	3.71
Lowell Gas Light Co., gas	8.33
Everett S. Haines, labor on trucks	14.50
Andrew Kohanski, labor	7.50
Harry Patterson, labor	4.00
W. L. Farwell, labor and material	19.25
G. C. Prince & Son, order books	2.95
C. B. Coburn Co., paint, etc.	4.75
Thomas F. Sullivan, labor and valves	19.00
Middlesex Supply Co., supplies	5.53
American Fire Equipment Co., fire hose, couplings, etc.	518.22
O'Brien Tire & Battery Service, parts	30.77
Towers Motor Parts Corp., oil can	1.58
Scannell Boiler Works, welding	1.20
Wally's Quality Food Store, groceries	7.27
Town of Wilmington, rental of 3 hydrants	120.00
Arthur Tremblay, gasoline, oil and supplies	81.38
F. I. Carter & Sons, extinguisher refills	4.95
Pratt & Forrest Co., door sections	36.00

Labor at Fires

Everett S. Haines	$ 206.75
Andrew Kohanski	135.50
George James	153.75
Harry Gleason	88.00
Frank Corr	30.75
Harry Patterson	97.00
Victor Lundquist	48.75
William Millett	93.50
Anthony Cidado	44.00
Howard King	128.00
William Shanley	50.50
John Carter	27.50
Fred Carter	12.75
Thomas Sullivan	113.75
Alexander Surprenant	36.75
James Bancroft	61.00
Wallace Farwell	29.75
Harold Mills	41.25
William Bailey	51.75
Omer Blanchard	7.00
Hugh Cameron	22.75
Charles Bowden	69.25

Harry Treadwell	68.00	
Albert Bancroft	9.50	
Edgar Hinton	41.75	
Edgar Hinton, Jr.	41.25	
Earl Sands	19.00	
John Smith	6.75	
Fred King	11.50	
Walter Kohanski	13.25	
William Bennett, Jr.	10.00	
Edward Bowley, Jr.	5.50	
Harold Jewer	7.75	
George Gray	5.25	
John Peatman	5.25	
Joseph Baker	5.25	
James Kane	4.00	
Frederick Record	4.00	
Charles Phillips	3.00	
Moses Webster	3.00	
William Otto	2.00	
Joseph Baluta	1.50	
Walter Baluta	1.50	
Edward Lisay	1.50	
Joseph Stanton, Jr.	1.50	
William Carter	1.00	
William Laurie	1.00	
Bronslaw Kohanski	35.00	
Walter Roberts	6.00	
Charles Fenerty	1.25	
Fenton Phelan	1.50	
Anthony Furtado	3.50	
John Sullivan	2.00	
Edward Sullivan	2.00	
August Sullivan	2.00	
Victor Cluff	2.00	
F. I. Carter & Sons, six men	3.00	
John Smith, Jr.	1.25	
Robert Hunter	1.00	
Ralph Bennett	1.00	
Foster Hallett	3.50	$ 5,493.51
Unexpended		$ 88.49

ASSESSORS

Appropriation	$ 2,500.00

Expenditures

Ethel M. Phillips, services as clerk	$ 616.25	
Percy L. Haines, services	448.50	
Buzzell King, services	721.00	
Austin F. French, services	464.50	
Austin F. French, use of car	96.00	
The Stoneham Independent, excise cards	1.00	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	34.75	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	8.00	
Thomas E. Watson, redrawing plans	22.06	
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps	7.00	
Hobbs & Warren Co., Inc., forms and binder	44.25	
Robinson Seal Co., Inc., blanks	12.15	
Spaulding-Moss Co., supplies	12.63	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, cards	5.75	$ 2,493.84
Unexpended		$ 6.16

INSPECTION OF MEAT AND ANIMALS

Appropriation	$ 700.00

Expenditures

A. H. Jewell, inspection of meat and animals	$ 700.00

COLLECTION OF TAXES

Appropriation	$ 1,000.00

Expenditures

Walter H. Wilcox, Inc., premium on bond	5.00
Underwood Elliott Fisher Co., maintenance service and repairs	20.35
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	4.13
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., cash book and forms	40.96
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps and envelopes	380.05
A. J. Fairgrieve, box rent	1.80
A. W. LaFond, tax and excise bills	99.00
James H. Broadbent & Son, Inc. forms and notices	34.00
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	2.25
Massachusetts Bonding & Ins. Co., premium on Collector's bond	213.00

Robinson Seal Co., Inc., supplies	8.00	
Lowell Sun, advertising	95.38	
Massachusetts Tax Collectors & Treas. Assoc., dues	2.00	
Harry C. Dawson, paid for recording deeds and express	75.08	
H. Louis Farmer, Jr., acknowledging deeds	19.00	$ 1,000.00

MAINTENANCE OF LEGION HALL

Appropriation		$ 125.00

Expenditures

Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	$ 63.69	
The Robertson Co., folding chairs	36.00	
		$ 99.69
Unexpended		$ 25.31

4-H CLUB

Appropriation		$ 50.00

Expenditures

Mrs. Mary Hodgson, tools and material	$ 4.31	
F. H. Garlick, transportation to Concord	15.00	
Betty Sherlock, expenses to camp	5.00	
Russell Lumber Co., lumber	11.75	
Fellowcrafters, plywood and knives	3.71	
James Sampson, material purchases	8.30	$ 48.07
Unexpended		$ 1.93

DOG OFFICER

Appropriation		$ 200.00

Expenditures

Gerald J. Finneran, services as Dog Officer, telephone, advertising, etc.		$ 200.00

HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING LOAN

Appropriation		$ 5,921.25
Expenditures		
The Merchants National Bank, interest on notes No. 191, No. 145, No. 146, No. 147, No. 148....	$ 907.50	
The Merchants National Bank, paid notes No. 191, No. 145, No. 146, No. 147, No. 148.....	5,000.00	
Alfred L. Ripley, interest on Note No. 191	13.75	
		$ 5,921.25

BOARD OF REGISTRARS

Appropriation		$ 1,281.00
Expenditures		
Balfe Service Co., check lists	$ 32.50	
The Lowell Sun, advertising	3.76	
William H. Bennett, services	95.00	
Daniel Sheehan, services	63.75	
George J. McCoy, services	120.50	
Herbert A. Fairbrother, services	82.00	
H. Louis Farmer, Jr	217.30	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	7.25	
Catherine B. Chandler, clerical services	23.60	
Spaulding-Moss Co., poll list	51.00	$ 696.66
Unexpended		$ 584.34

TAX TITLE FORECLOSURES

Appropriation		$ 1,500.00
Expenditures		
Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, recording deeds, etc.	$ 304.35	
Ethel M. Phillips, services	90.00	
Ethel M. Phillips, expenses to Registry office.....	.50	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., forms	8.57	
Robinson Seal Co., Inc., forms	5.69	
The Lowell Sun, advertising	38.94	
H. Louis Farmer, Jr., acknowledging deeds.....	15.75	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	3.85	
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps	3.44	$ 471.09
Unexpended		$ 1,028.91

W. P. A. FUND

Appropriation ..... $ 9,398.45

Expenditures

Everett H. King, Sponsor's Agent	$ 1,040.00
Everett H. King, paid for key and express	.80
Everett H. King, travel expenses	30.00
Dorothy E. Ackles, services as clerk	300.00
Surplus Commodity Warehouse, rent charge	57.40
Perley H. Gilbert, blueprints	8.23
Herman Bischoff, bread, etc., for school lunch project	642.51
F. J. Flemings, Est., boxes, twine, etc.	65.85
Wilmington Coal Co., coal	227.74
Milton L. Brandon, bandage	4.50
Anderson Bros., milk for school lunches	704.69
John R. Craig, trucking	57.00
Bulley's Filling Station, gasoline and oil	165.43
Koplow Trimming Co., sewing supplies	52.13
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps	4.00
Golen's Garage, gasoline, storage, repairs, parts	486.77
Hinton's Service Station, oil, gasoline, etc.	38.12
Middlesex Supply Co., supplies	41.16
A. G. Pollard Co., material	28.78
The Bon Marche Dry Goods Co., uniforms and supplies	113.14
Gertrude Rutledge, transportation	38.00
Gertrude Rutledge, uniform	1.00
The Gagnon Co., uniforms	25.00
James E. Mackey, labor	86.50
B. E. Allen, milk for Shawsheen School	383.98
North Tewkbury Garage, labor and supplies	47.79
William M. Horner, disinfectant	28.00
A. E. O'Heir Co., used gas range for High School	10.00
Currier's Express, transporting supplies	12.68
Dr. H. M. Larrabee, physical examinations	115.00
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	20.72
Charles E. Buffam, grease and range oil	2.35
Joseph L. Maher, expenses	7.50
Conant Machine & Steel Co., parts and repairs	172.71
The Fairgrieve Belting Co., Inc., parts	4.12
United States Treasurer, administrational expenses	604.25
Roy's Service Station, gasoline and oil	35.16

Freddie's General Store, groceries	127.31
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., concrete	877.29
Margaret Livingston, repairing scissors	1.50
Cities Service Oil Co., gasoline and Oil	7.50
Wally's Quality Food Store, supplies	.79
Joseph Maher, labor	39.75
John Gerrish, labor	23.00
Richard Haines, labor	1.00
George Hill, labor	7.75
Edward Thoreson, labor	4.00
Joseph Martos, labor	40.00
Osterman Coal Co., coal and cement	16.90
C. B. Coburn Co., lime	.75
Fred Garlick, trucking	75.00
Amedee Mercier, labor	16.00
James Hamilton, labor	4.00
Louis Stabbaum, labor	16.00
John H. McKay, gasoline	48.58
Donohoe Tire Co., parts	75.95
Charles Haas, compressor operator	3.00
James Ligitsakos, labor	7.50
Edward Sheehan, gasoline	1.57
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	11.95
William J. Shanley, labor	6.00
Elias McCormack, labor	11.50
Highland Laundry, laundry	1.96
Russell Lumber Co., lumber	53.46
Ideal Racket Store, kitchen supplies	95.24
Louis Lipomi, labor	1.50
Ralph Bridgford, glass	2.50
Charles E. Mackey, labor	22.00
George Brabant, wood	12.00
Henry P. Foley, supplies	26.57
A. A. Smith & Co., rental of typewriters	6.00
Charles H. Wilson, repairs	22.05
Roy Patterson, labor	2.00
Warren Brothers, labor	1.00
Roland Robinson, blasting	5.00
Martin Grigunas, labor	6.00
Bernard Marion, replacing window glass	9.00
Dracut Water Supply District, use of compressor	11.00
Registry of Motor Vehicles, registry of trucks	8.00
Lowell Fruit Co., vegetables for school lunches	33.65
McCarthy's Express Co., freight	.58
Liggett Drug Store, First Aid supplies	4.03
Robert E. Gay, Notary Public fees	13.75

Webster-Thomas Co., groceries	30.93	
Natural Gas Service, Inc., gas range, labor and parts	55.35	
The Robertson Co., Inc., kitchen supplies	163.19	
D. M. Laffin, sharpening picks	1.25	
F. L. Kane, labor	8.00	
F. M. Bill Co., flour delivered to H. Bischoff	11.00	
Mark Courser, labor	15.60	
Gar Wood Industries, Inc., tow hooks	10.00	
Pratt & Forrest Co., lumber	36.16	
The Thompson Hardware Co., supplies	2.25	$ 7,758.62
Unexpended balance carried forward to 1942		$ 1,639.83

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Appropriation		$ 225.00

Expenditures

Hobbs, & Warren, Inc., supplies	5.40	
Victor Cluff, services as Sealer	200.00	$ 205.40
Unexpended		$ 19.60

FOSTER SCHOOL FUND

Interest due from Central Savings Bank		$ 18.20

Expenditures

Lowell Rendering Co., fertilizer	$ 11.20	
Bernard Bennett, labor on school grounds	4.00	
J. Russell Scott, grass seed	3.00	
		$ 18.20

CLERICAL SERVICES

Appropriation		$ 200.00

Expenditures

Ethel M. Phillips, services		$ 121.00
Unexpended		$ 79.00

UNPAID BILLS—1940

Appropriation		$ 209.38

Expenditures

Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	$ 9.16	
City of Boston, tuition of Lloyd A. Fosse, Vocational School	37.70	
Dr. H. M. Larrabee, Agent, Board of Health	61.00	
Robert E. Gay, Notary Public fees	3.00	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone	3.02	
George Hazel, police duty	24.00	
Ross E. Sargent, police duty	6.00	
Lauchie McPhail, police duty	14.40	
Graybar Electric Co., radio parts	12.02	
City Service Oil Co., gasoline	24.50	
Frost Insecticide Co., creosote	14.58	
		$ 209.38

MOTOR EXCISE REFUNDED

Joseph A. Coutu	$ .51
Karl Heidenreich	.45
Earl A. Lye	13.38
Anna P. Young and Bertha Benner	5.64
Peter Cummings Est	3.68
William E. Colburn	2.00
Edgar G. Hinton	3.68
Dana B. Hinckley	7.30
Alice L. King	.94
C. Leonard Glen, Sr	14.97
Alice L. White	12.27
Edward F. Cogan	7.61
Irving F. French	4.42
Anthony Furtado	10.81
Mary E. Burnett	.94
Peter Cummings	11.16
Joseph S. Dumoski	.58
Gerald W. Gross	7.08
John H. Kelley	9.02
Frank L. Donovan	.58
Justin F. Fitzgerald	8.10
Catherine M. and Wm. J. O'Neill	1.68
Wilmington Coal & Ice Co	7.73
Roger W. Connor	3.85
Bertha M. O'Connell	6.87

Joseph E. Connolly	1.31	
Daniel Sterling	7.52	
Fred S. King	4.29	
Walter L. Wright	9.57	
Anna J. Quinn	.58	
John R. Smith	7.12	
Daniel J. Baril	6.90	
Alice M. Bell	8.28	
Leo M. Bonugli	3.89	
Leonore McNamara	2.95	
Lillian G. Robicheau	12.42	
Josephine P. Moras	3.93	
Herman Bischoff	3.40	
Earl A. Lye	23.92	
		$ 241.33

REAL ESTATE AND POLL TAX REFUND

George F. Garland, poll tax refund	$ 2.00	
Harry Patterson, Jr., poll tax refund	2.00	
Axel F. Anderson, poll tax refund	2.00	
Home Owners Loan Corp., real estate refund	17.76	
Catherine A. Foster, real estate refund	2.82	
George G. Robinson, poll tax refund	2.00	
Stella S. Garland, real estate refund	11.28	
Blanche B. Ames Estate, refund	76.22	
Blanche B. Ames Estate, interest	3.30	
Theresa C. Gulliland, real estate refund	5.64	
Emilia Frost, real estate refund	5.64	
		$ 130.66

Preliminary Plans, Etc., for Shawsheen School Building Committee

Appropriation		$ 100.00

Expenditures

Rogers & Sherburne, drawing articles and motions for Shawsheen School & telephone	$ 5.10	
		$ 5.10
Unexpended		$ 94.90

UNPAID BILLS—THE ROBERTSON CO.

Appropriation		$ 64.00
The Robertson Co., bills for school supplies, approved		40.00
Unexpended		$ 24.00

MAINTENANCE OF ATHLETIC FIELD AND ATHLETICS

Appropriation		$ 350.00

Expenditures

J. G. MacLellan, fuel oil	$ 18.55	
C. B. Coburn Co., glass	3.80	
Harry Wiley, services as caretaker of High School field houses	35.00	
F. L. Kane, labor	8.00	
William H. Dewing, parts for repairing pump	11.53	
Pratt & Forrest Co., lumber	14.46	
Lull & Hartford, keys and football shoes	30.75	
Middlesex Supply Co., supplies	9.87	
Stone & Webster, Porchide	25.74	
Charles W. Fenerty, mowing	25.00	
J. R. Scott, painting stadium	56.70	
J. R. Scott, paid express	.50	
J. Harper Gale, keys	.80	
C. H. Hobson & Son, labor on water heating system	3.00	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	17.76	
Liggett Drug Store, adhesive tape	2.18	
		$ 263.64
Unexpended		$ 86.36

NEW FLAG POLE

Appropriation		$ 400.00

Expenditures

Edward Thoreson, labor	$ 5.00	
Corey's Steeple Jacks, furnishing and erecting flag pole	385.00	
Osterman Coal Co., cement for foundation	2.80	
		$ 392.80
Unexpended		$ 7.20

ADDITION TO SHAWSHEEN SCHOOL BUILDING

Appropriation	$ 17,000.00

Expenditures

Fred F. Meloy, architectural services	$ 875.00	
The Lowell Sun, advertising	15.31	
Philip E. Connors, a|c contract	13,635.66	
Welch Bros. Co., sink	20.00	
Harry Wiley, labor	10.00	
The Kimball System, refinishing and rehanging sign	26.50	
Rogers & Sherburne, legal services	10.00	
The Robertson Co., Inc., window shades	80.00	
Fred Lunn & Son, work on interior and exterior of building	108.50	
		$ 14,780.97
Unexpended—carried forward to 1942		$ 2,219.03

MUNICPIAL BUILDING INSURANCE FUND

Appropriation	$ 1,500.00
The Central Savings Bank, deposited	$ 1,500.00

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

Receipts

City Institution for Savings, interest from Martha Shedd Fund	$ 6.00	
Central Savings Bank, interest from		
Ebenezer Page Fund	5.00	
William Prindle Fund	2.00	
Louisa Bridge Fund	2.75	
Samuel Jaques Fund	2.75	
Jeremiah Kittredge Fund;;;	2.75	
		$ 21.25

Expenditures

William Pringle:		
Care of Martha Shedd lot	$ 6.00	
Care of Ebenezer Page lot	5.00	
Care of William Prindle lot	2.00	
Tewksbury Cemetery Corp.:		
Care of Thomas Bridge lot	2.75	
Care of Samuel Jaques lot	2.75	
Care of Jeremiah Kittredge lot	2.75	
		$ 21.25

SUMMARY

Highways—General	$ 6,956.10
Highways—Chapter 81	16,300.49
Highway Machinery Fund	3,608.15
Highways—Chapter 90, Maintenance	6,011.00
Highways—Chapter 90, North Street	9,059.11
Schools	59,701.86
Vocational Schools	793.57
Public Welfare	11,224.56
Aid to Dependent Children	6,195.64
Old Age Assistance	23,720.97
Aid, State and Military	1,481.80
Unpaid 1939 Welfare Bills Due Cities and Towns	836.98
Unpaid 1940 Welfare Bills Due Cities and Towns	646.02
Stationery and Printing	984.23
Salaries:	
Town Auditor	700.00
Town Treasurer	1,476.64
Selectmen	1,100.00
Town Clerk	750.00
Tax Collector	1,850.00
School Committee	225.00
Road Commissioners	400.00
Election Officers	32.00
Incidentals	1,024.31
Board of Health	2,903.60
Memorial Day	340.50
Street Lighting	6,095.98
Library	1,939.03
Town Hall	4,361.70
General	143,399.91
Moth Department	1,490.68
Tree Warden	1,498.63
Interest	248.15
Police	6,672.47
Parks and Commons	222.83
Fire Department	5,493.51
Assessors	2,493.84
Inspection of Meat and Animals	700.00
Collection of Taxes	1,000.00
Maintenance of Legion Hall	99.69
4-H Club	48.07
Dog Officer	200.00
High School Building Loan	5,921.25
Board of Registrars	696.66

Tax Title Foreclosures		471.09
W. P. A. Fund		7,758.62
Sealer of Weights and Measures		205.40
Foster School Fund		18.20
Clerical Services		121.00
Unpaid Bills—1940		209.38
Motor Excise Refund		241.33
Real Estate and Poll Tax Refund		130.66
Preliminary Plans, Etc., for Shawsheen School Bldg. Comm.		5.10
Unpaid Bills—The Robertson Co		40.00
Maintenance of Athletic Field and Athletics		263.64
New Flag Pole		392.80
Addition to Shawsheen School Building		14,780.97
Municipal Building Insurance Fund		1,500.00
Cemetery Trust Funds		21.25
Total Expenditures		$367,064.37
Cash on Hand	$ 162.59	
Cash in Bank	40,639.02	
		40,801.61
		$407,865.98
Treasurer's Receipts		$407,865.98

RESERVE FUND

Appropriation		$ 2,500.00
Transferred by Vote of Finance Committee:		
To Incidental Account	$ 281.00	
To Police Account	294.50	
To Fire Department Account	582.00	
		1,157.50
Balance Reverted to Town Treasury		$ 1,342.50

TRUST FUNDS

Condition of Trust Funds, Dec. 31, 1941:	
Municipal Building Insurance Fund	$ 18,468.91
Foster School Fund ($18.20 due Town, to be withdrawn)	1,151.36
William Prindle (Pringle) Cemetery Fund	102.71
Ebenezer Page Cemetery Fund	409.21
Louisa Bridges Cemetery Fund	170.47
Samuel Jaques Cemetery Fund	121.99

Jeremiah Kittredge Cemetery Fund	122.00
Peter Clark Cemetery Fund	100.40
Martha Shedd Cemetery Fund	658.41
Dr. George A. Peirce Fund	102.68

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of all Town Officials who are authorized to receive and expend money for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1941, and to the best of my knowledge they are correct, with proper vouchers on file, and $40,801.61 in the Treasury.

ROBERT E. GAY,

Town Auditor.

Personally appeared before me on this 24th day of January, 1942, Robert E. Gay, Town Auditor, and made oath that the foregoing statements are correct.

THOMAS F. FLYNN,

Justice of the Peace.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash Balance January 8, 1941	$ 32,403.48
Loans in Anticipation of Revenue	85,000.00
Loans in Anticipation of Highway Reimbursement	18,000.00
Loan on Addition to Shawsheen School Building	10,000.00

TAXES

1934 Account:		
Demands	$	.35
Excise		3.85
Interest		2.47
Poll		6.00
1935 Account:		
Demands	$	.70
Excise		9.90
Interest		3.38
Poll		8.00
1936 Account:		
Demands	$	.70
Excise		24.14
Interest		48.84
Poll		18.00
Real Estate		101.46
1937 Account:		
Demands	$	1.75
Excise		79.17
Interest		53.24
Poll		30.00
Real Estate		220.53
1938 Account:		
Demands	$	8.00
Excise		13.33
Interest		166.54
Personal		89.92
Poll		64.00
Real Estate		1,158.17

1939 Account:		
Demands	$ 37.45	
Excise	24.31	
Interest	631.53	
Personal	117.81	
Poll	90.00	
Real Estate	9,696.21	
1940 Account:		
Demands	$ 40.95	
Excise	537.41	
Interest	548.25	
Personal	287.29	
Poll	496.00	
Real Estate	19,749.49	
1941 Account:		
Demands	$ 64.05	
Excise	7,644.02	
Interest	34.34	
Personal	66,764.33	
Poll	2,010.00	
Real Estate	57,558.86	
		$168,445.24

TAX TITLES

Tax Titles Redeemed	$ 1,945.84		
Partial Payments	2,278.36		
		$	4,224.20
Land Owned by the Town Sold	$ 196.00	$	196.00
Foreclosed Tax Titles, Lands of Low Value sold	854.88		854.88

HIGHWAYS

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:		
Highway Chapter 81	$ 9,428.20	
Highway Chapter 90, Maintenance	2,000.00	
Highway Chapter 90, Construction North St.	2,472.48	
Hire of Town Roller by State Infirmary	40.00	
Snow Removal	60.00	
		$ 14,000.68

Middlesex County:		
Highway Maintenance Various Roads	$ 2,000.00	
Highway Chapter 90, Construction North St.	1,236.24	
		$ 3,236.24

HIGHWAY FUND

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:		
Distribution of Highway Fund, Chapter 504, Acts 1941	$ 9,632.19	$ 9,632.19

PUBLIC WELFARE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:		
Aid to Dependent Children	$ 2,600.53	
Aid to Dependent Children, Federal Grants..	2,243.10	
Old Age Assistance	8,913.42	
Old Age Assistance, Federal Grants	11,004.49	
Temporary Aid	2,429.13	
Old Age Assistance, Reimbursement, Other Cities and Towns	539.55	
Public Welfare, Reimbursement, Other Cities and Towns	2,612.70	
		$ 30,342.92

STATE AND MILITARY AID

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:		
State Aid	$ 190.00	
Veterans Exemption Sec. 11 and 12, Chap. 58	22.85	
		$ 212.85

REIMBURSEMENTS

Individuals	$ 106.71	$ 106.71

POLICE

District Court of Lowell, Fines, etc.	$ 7.64	
Chief Cyril L. Barker, Gun Permits	9.50	
		$ 17.14

PUBLIC LIBRARY

Middlesex County:		
Dog Licenses Refund	$ 653.67	
Abbie M. Blaisdell, Librarian, Sale of Cards	3.59	
		$ 657.26

SCHOOLS

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:		
Tuition of Children	$ 787.94	
Vocational Education	582.31	
		$ 1,370.25

TUITION

Town of Andover	$ 120.00	$ 120.00

TOWN HALL

Rental of Town Hall	$ 151.00	$ 151.00

TAXES (STATE)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:		
Corporations	$ 1,469.05	
Corporations, Public Service	1,381.17	
Corporations, Bus	109.29	
Income Tax	8,862.14	
Income Tax, Sec. 18, Chapter 58	5,645.00	
Reimbursement Loss of Taxes	3,186.14	
Department of Public Health	1,030.71	
		$ 21,683.50

TRUST FUNDS (INTEREST)

Martha Shedd Fund	$ 6.00	
Ebenezer Page Fund	5.00	
William Prindle Fund	2.00	
Louisa Bridges Fund	2.75	
Samuel Jacques	2.75	
Jeremiah Kittredge	2.75	
		$ 21.25

TOWN CLERK

H. Louis Farmer, Jr., Town Clerk, Dog Licenses	$ 755.00	
H. Louis Farmer, Jr., Town Clerk, Fees and Licenses	6,185.31	
		$ 6,940.31

MISCELLANEOUS

Accrued Interest on Note	$ 7.92	
Advertising (Various)	13.69	
Beer Permits, 1 Day	57.50	
Other Permits (Miscellaneous)	13.45	
Director of Standards	12.00	
Licenses	10.50	
Milk Permits (Store, Dealers, Pasteurization)	60.00	
Refund on Recording Fees	8.45	
Sale of Supplies (Lavatory and Medical)	1.32	
Sealer of Weights and Measures, Fees	27.58	
Sale of One Dog by Dog Officer	3.00	
Use of Telephone, Toll Calls	2.40	
Telephone Toll Calls:		
Buzzell King (1940)	3.80	
Buzzell King (1941)	5.20	
Robert E. Gay	5.77	
Duncan J. Cameron	10.65	
Irving F. French	4.30	
George A. Marshall	2.35	
		$ 249.88
Total Money Received		$407,865.98

CREDIT

Aid to Dependent Children, Town Appropriation	$ 3,495.50
Aid to Dependent Children, Federal Grants	2,649.00
Aid to Dependent Children, Federal Grants, Administration	51.14
Aid, State and Military	1,481.80
Assessors	2,493.84
Board of Registrars	696.66
Collection of Taxes	1,000.00
Clerical Assistance to Treasurer	121.00

Dog Officer's Account	200.00
Fire Department	5,493.51
Foreclosure of Tax Titles	471.09
General	143,399.91
Board of Health	2,903.60
High School Building Loan	5,921.25
Highways	6,956.10
Highways, Chapter 81	16,300.49
Highways, Chapter 90 Maintenance	6,011.00
Highways, Chapter 90 Construction	9.059.11
Highway Machinery Fund	3,608.15
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Incidentals	1,024.31
Interest	248.15
Inspection of Meats and Animals	700.00
Janitor and Fuel	7,795.49
Library	1,939.03
Maintenance of Athletic Field & Structures, etc.	263.64
Maintenance of Legion Hall	99.69
Medical Inspection	250.00
Memorial Day	340.50
Moth Department	1,490.68
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Refund	241.33
New Flag Pole	392.80
Old Age Assistance, Town Appropriation	12,998.77
Old Age Assistance, Federal Grants	10,364.22
Old Age Assistance, Federal Grants Adm. only	357.98
Parks and Commons	222.83
Police Department	6,672.47
Real Estate Tax Refund	122.66
Poll Tax Refund	8.00
Primary Plans Shawsheen School Building Committee	5.10
Addition to Shawsheen School Building	14,780.97
Salaries	6,533.64
Schools: School Books and Supplies	2,664.41
Schools: School Houses	2,441.59
Schools: School Miscellany	2,848.08
Schools: School Nurse	1,300.00
Schools: Supervision	877.56
Schools: Teachers	31,379.23
Schools: Massachusetts Retirement Fund (Teachers)	1,395.50
Sealer of Weights and Measures	205.40
Stationery and Printing	984.23
Street Lighting	6,095.98

Transportation	8,750.00	
Tree Warden	1,498.63	
Town Hall	4,361.70	
Trust Funds: Cemetery	21.25	
Trust Funds: Foster School	18.20	
Trust Funds: Municipal Buildings Insurance	1,500.00	
Vocational Schools	793.57	
Welfare (Public)	11,224.56	
Welfare Bills Special Appropriation	836.98	
Unpaid Bills 1940 Special Appropriation	209.38	
W. P. A.	7,758.62	
Unpaid Bills, The Robertson Co., Inc.	40.00	
Unpaid Bills, Special Appropriation 1940	646.02	
		$367,064.37
Money Received at Land of Low Value Sale of Foreclosed Tax Titles in Excess of the Value of the Town's Tax Titles	$	27.12
Total Money Received		$407,865.98
Total Money Paid Out		367,064.37
Cash on hand and in Union National Bank of Lowell	$	40,801.61

ASSETS

Money due the Town:		
Public Welfare Other Cities and Towns	$ 337.55	
Old Age Assistance other Cities and Towns	701.55	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts:		
Public Welfare	$ 1,297.47	
Old Age Assistance	4,939.92	
Aid to Dependent Children	1,500.00	
Highways Chapter 81	21.80	
Highways Chapter 90 Construction North St.	3,527.52	
Middlesex County:		
Highways Chapter 90 Construction North St.	$ 1,763.76	
Outstanding Taxes	$ 35,967.22	
Cash on hand and balance deposited in Union National Bank of Lowell	$ 40,801.61	
		$ 90,858.40

LIABILITIES

High School Loan: Notes Nos. 149 to 177 inc.	$ 29,000.00	
Anticipation of Revenue Note No. 242 Due December 18, 1942	25,000.00	

Reimbursement Loan Note No. 241 Due May 1, 1942	5,000.00	
Addition to Shawsheen School Building Loan Notes Nos. 236 to 240 inc.	10,000.00	
		$ 69,000.00
Total Assets		$ 90,858.40
Total Liabilities		69,000.00
Balance in favor of the Town		$ 21,858.40

TRUST FUNDS

Municipal Bldgs. Ins. January 1, 1941	$ 16,639.59	
Int. received on Deposits in Savings Bank	329.32	
Town Appropriation for 1941 deposited in Central Savings Bank	1,500.00	
Total amount of Fund January 1, 1942		$ 18,468.91
Foster School		$ 1,151.36
Cemetery (Seven)		$ 1,685.19
George A. Pierce		$ 102.68
Tax Titles held by the Town		$ 13,007.85

FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE TOWN LAST TEN YEARS

		Tax Rate
1933 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st	$ 18,201.94	$ 24.00
1934 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st	10,283.39	30.00
1935 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st	4,256.33	29.60
1936 Balance against the Town Jan. 1st	40,363.11	33.30
1937 Balance against the Town Jan. 1st	26,172.22	33.40
1938 Balance against the Town Jan. 1st	3,502.38	32.00
1939 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st	5,595.52	29.30
1940 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st	670.60	29.60
1941 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st	2,774.55	28.20
1942 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st	21,858.40	

RATE PAID ON A. R. NOTES YEAR OF 1941

A. R. Notes Nos. 231, 232 and 233 borrowed at .18% discounted.
Reimbursement Loan Notes Nos. 234, 235 borrowed at .20% discounted.
Reimbursement Loan Note No. 241 borrowed at .50% discounted.
A. R. Loan Note No. 242 borrowed at .57% discounted.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE A. MARSHALL,
Town Treasurer.

TABLE OF ESTIMATES FOR 1942

Street Lighting	$ 6,200.00
Incidentals	1,000.00
Highways	16,000.00
Schools	60,000.00
Library (Dog Tax)	1,300.00
Police	12,000.00
Stationery and Printing	1,200.00
Board of Health	3,500.00
Park Commission	250.00
Tree Warden	1,500.00
Department of Public Welfare	10,000.00
Aid to Dependent Children (Plus Federal Grants)	4,500.00
Bureau of Old Age Assistance (Plus Federal Grants)	13,000.00
Fire Department	7,000.00
Town Hall	3,500.00
Assessors	3,000.00
Vocational School	1,500.00
Inspection of Meats and Animals	700.00
Aid, State and Military	2,000.00
Interest on Loans	800.00
Collection of Taxes	1,000.00
Municipal Insurance	1,500.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	225.00
Dog Officer	200.00
Maintenance, Legion Headquarters	125.00
Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths	1,500.00
Board of Registrars	750.00

SALARY ACCOUNT

Auditor	$ 700.00
Town Clerk (exclusive of fees)	750.00
Tax Collector	1,850.00
Selectmen	1,100.00
Election Officers	100.00
School Committee	225.00
Road Commissioners	400.00
Treasurer	1,500.00

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF APPRAISERS

Moth and Tree Warden Departments

January 1, 1941	$	1,298.27
January 1, 1942		1,110.70
Net Loss	$	187.57

Highway Department

January 1, 1941	$	11,535.75
January 1, 1942		9,382.88
Net Loss	$	2,152.87

W. P. A. Property

1 Dodge Truck (1936)	$	250.00
1 Ford Truck (1935)		200.00
1 G. M .C. Truck (1935)		200.00
Sewing Machines and Equipment		250.00
Wheelbarrows		12.00
Axes, Shovels, Miscellaneous Tools		175.00
Office Equipment, Forms, etc.		35.00
1 Conant Loader		400.00
Total January 1, 1941	$	1,537.00
Total January 1, 1940		992.00
Net Gain	$	545.00

Respectfully submitted,

IRVING F. FRENCH,

DUNCAN J. CAMERON,

BERNARD H. GREENE,

Appraisers.

REPORT OF THE TAX COLLECTOR

1931 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1941		none		
Recommitted during 1941	$	10.80		
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942			$	10.80

1932 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1941		none		
Recommitted during 1941	$	6.65		
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942			$	6.65

1933 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1941	$	.74		
Recommitted during 1941		4.96		
		5.70	$	5.70
Abated during 1941		2.48		2.48
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942				3.22

1934 Accounts

Real Estate Outstanding Jan. 1, 1941	$	.95		
Recommitted during 1941		12.48		
		13.43	$	13.43
Abated during 1941		3.16		3.16
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942				10.27
Poll Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1, 1941	$	16.00	$	16.00
Poll Taxes Collected during 1941		6.00		
Poll Taxes abated during 1941		10.00		
		16.00		16.00
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1941				none
Excise Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941	$	11.70	$	11.70
Excise Taxes collected during 1941		3.85		3.85
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942				7.85

Interest collected during 1941	$ 2.47	
Costs collected during 1941	.35	
	2.82	$ 2.82

1935 Accounts

Real Estate Outstanding Jan. 1, 1941	$ .93	
Recommitted during 1941	12.40	
	13.33	$ 13.33
Abated during 1941	3.10	3.10
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942		10.23
Poll Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1. 1941	28.00	28.00
Poll Taxes collected during 1941	8.00	8.00
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942		20.00
Excise Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1, 1941	104.40	104.40
Excise Taxes collected during 1941	9.90	9.90
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942		94.50
Interest collected during 1941	3.88	
Costs collected during 1941	.70	
	4.58	4.58

1936 Accounts

Estate Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941	55.28	
Recommitted during 1941	247.54	
	302.82	302.82
Collected during 1941	101.46	
Abated during 1941	43.40	
	144.86	144.86
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942		157.96
Poll Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941	58.00	58.00
Poll Taxes collected during 1941	18.00	18.00
Poll Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1942		40.00

Excise Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941	95.49	95.49
Excise Taxes collected during 1941	24.14	24.14
Excise Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1942		71.35
Interest collected during 1941	48.84	
Costs collected during 1941	.70	
	49.54	49.54
1937 Accounts		
Estate Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941	142.70	
Recommitted during 1941	220.72	
	363.42	363.42
Collected during 1941	220.53	
Abated during 1941	29.05	
	249.58	249.58
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942		113.84
Poll Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941	80.00	80.00
Poll Taxes collected during 1941	30.00	30.00
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942		50.00
Excise Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941	178.74	178.74
Excise Taxes collected during 1941	79.17	79.17
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942		99.57
Interest collected during 1941	53.24	
Costs collected during 1941	1.75	
	54.99	54.99
1938 Accounts		
Estate Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941	895.08	
Recommitted during 1941	742.35	
	1,637.43	1,637.43
Collected during 1941	1,248.09	
Took by Tax Titles 1941	227.60	
Abated during 1941	17.30	
	1,492.99	1,492.99
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942		144.44

Poll Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941	258.00	258.00
Poll Taxes collected during 1941	64.00	
Poll Taxes abated during 1941	2.00	
	66.00	66.00
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942		192.00
Excise Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941	61.34	61.34
Collected during 1941	13.33	13.33
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942		48.01
Interest collected during 1941	166.54	
Costs collected during 1941	8.00	
	174.54	

1939 Accounts

Personal Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941	170.77	170.77
Collected during 1941	117.81	117.81
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942		52.96
Real Estate outstanding Jan. 1, 1941	10,241.61	
Recommitted during 1941	659.66	
	10,901.27	10,901.27
Collected during 1941	9,696.21	
By Tax Takings during 1941	379.65	
Abated during 1941	7.90	
	10,083.76	10,083.76
Outstanding Jan 1, 1942		817.51
Poll Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941	290.00	290.00
Collected during 1941	90.00	90.00
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942		200.00
Excise Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941	108.42	108.42
Collected during 1941	24.31	24.31
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942		84.11

Interest collected during 1941	631.53	
Costs collected during 1941	37.45	
	668.98	668.98

1940 Accounts

Personal outstanding Jan. 1, 1941	858.22	858.22
Collected during 1941	287.29	287.29
Outstanding		570.93
Real Estate outstanding Jan. 1, 1941	28,515.35	
Refund 1941	76.22	
Recommitted during 1941	653.37	
	29,244.94	29,244.94
Collected during 1941	19,749.49	
Added by Tax Titles 1941	942.00	
Abated during 1941	76.22	
	20,767.71	20,767.71
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942		8,477.23
Poll Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941	712.00	
Refunded during 1941	4.00	
	716.00	716.00
Collected during 1941	496.00	
Abated during 1941	22.00	
	518.00	518.00
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942		198.00
Excise Taxes outstanding Jan. 1, 1941	574.05	
Refunds during 1941	19.98	
	594.03	594.03
Collected during 1941	537.41	
Abated during 1941	14.34	
	551.75	551.75
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942		42.28

Interest collected during 1941	548.25	
Costs collected during 1941	40.95	
	589.20	589.20

1941 Accounts

Personal Warrants during 1941	67,674.64	67,674.64
Collected during 1941	66,764.33	
Abated during 1941	24.67	
	66,789.00	66,789.00
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942		885.64
Real Estate Warrants during 1941	82,896.20	
Refunds during 1941	25.38	
Recommitted during 1941	2.82	
	82,924.40	82,924.40
Collected during 1941	57,558.86	
Abated during 1941	497.03	
Added to Tax Titles 1941	1,929.06	
	59,984.95	59,984.95
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942		22,939.45
Poll Warrants during 1941	2,406.00	
Refunds during 1941	4.00	
	2,410.00	2.410.00
Collected during 1941	2,010.00	
Abated during 1941	196.00	
	2,206.00	2,206.00
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942		204.00
Excise Warrants during 1941	8,297.39	
Refunds during 1941	221.35	
	8,518.74	8,518.74

Collected during 1941	7,604.02	
Abated during 1941	412.29	
	8,056.31	8,056.31
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942		462.43
Interest collected during 1941	34.34	
Costs collected during 1941	64.05	
	98.39	98.39
Total cash collected during 1941 and turned over to the Treasurer	168,445.24	
Collected through Tax Titles	3,478.31	
Total Amount Collected during 1941		171,923.55

This is an increase of $14,123.91 over 1940.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY C. DAWSON,

Tax Collector.

REPORT OF THE ROAD COMMISSIONERS AND SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

January 1, 1942.

Board of Selectmen,
Tewksbury, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The following is our report for the year ending December 31, 1941:

CHAPTER 81, AND GENERAL HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE

The usual highway maintenance was carried out this year, which included the graveling, oiling and patching, with bituminous materials, of our various streets and those that come under our Chapter 81 contract.

The following streets were accepted this year: Pratt Street, Wilson Road, Lawson Avenue, Kittredge Avenue, Dudley Road, Martin Road, Guile Avenue, Idlewild Road, Oak Street, Murray Avenue, Court Street, Pinedale Avenue.

Approximately sixty streets have been accepted during the past eight years. While it is impossible to rebuild all of these streets within the year that they are accepted, we are gradually improving as many of them as our appropriation will allow each year.

Work on the Farm to Market Roads, a W. P. A. Project, under the supervision of Mr. King, was continued this year. Gravel was applied to the following streets: Laite Road, White Street, Myrtle Street, Durn Street, Willow Street, Mystic Street, Parker Avenue, Hoover Street, Maplewood Avenue, Roosevelt Avenue, Highlandview Avenue, Dudley Road, Oak Street, Sunnyslope Avenue, Wilson Road, Pratt Street.

Please notice that many of the above listed streets are among those recently accepted. We wish to thank Mr. King for his splendid co-operation and the interest he has shown in this work, as this Project has proven most beneficial to our Highway Department.

We deeply regret to report that one of our fellow workers, Mr. George Gale, was seriously injured while working on the North Street construction. Mr. Gale is convalescing now and we hope to have him among us again soon. This Department appreciates the fine treatment given Mr. Gale while confined in the hospital, and also the personal interest shown to him by Dr. Kelley.

The following table gives the amount in gallons of tar, oil and cut-back used on the highways during the past year. Where tar and sand is shown delivered to the Town Yard it was used in mixing patch.

TAR, OIL, CUT-BACK AND SAND

Street	Tar Gals.	Oil Gals.	Cut-Back Gals.	Sand Cu.Yds
Rogers Street	3006		1008	64
Boston Road	1976			38
Pond Street			1527	16
Pine Street	1238		1506	20
Vernon Street			355	8
Chandler Street	3266		1011	84
Helvetia Street	1909			10
Hood Road	1858			26
Pinnacle Street			1538	22
River Road			2113	38
Trull Road	1155			26
Whipple Road	3293	933		98
Marshall Street	999			26
Marston Street			1251	20
French Street	950			18
Foster Street	2438			30
Astle Street	995			16
Kendall Street	2905			100
Patten Street	2980		2639	108
Mill Street			1032	34
Livingston Street		1476	4689	88
Shawsheen Street	2908	969		78
South Street	2946			48
Vale Street	2020			56
Willow Street		983		12
Roosevelt Street	400		500	20
White Street	300		489	16
Pringle Street	1913		2398	56
Littlefield Avenue			975	8
Hill Street	1409		1949	50
Salem Street			1191	10
East Street		2466		
Pleasant Street	1925			
Chapman Street	1884			20
Fiske Street		1500		34
Lakeview Avenue	602			16
Clark Road			1693	28
Andover Street		6621		

Street	Tar Gals.	Oil Gals	Cut-Back Gals.	Sand Cu.Yds
Summer Street	483			12
Dewey Street	484			8
McLaren Road	900			16
Myrtle Street	500			22
McEvoy Avenue	250			8
Park Street	753			14
Maple Street			1549	18
Lowe Street			1541	10
Bailey Road		507		8
Bridge Street		1000		20
Brown Street	2940			36
Heath Street	1013			52
Coolidge Street	1013			42
Florence Avenue	990			12
James Street	535			10
Washington Street	536			20
State Street	673			18
Texas Road	400			12
Warren Road	400			8
Water Street	300			6
Billerica Street			632	8
Woburn Street		400	400	
Town Yard	3841			106
Ice				464

Street	Pea Grav. Tons	Pea Stone Tons
Pleasant Street	178.9	
Chapman Street	109	
East Street	77.5	
Whipple Road	65.85	
Shawsheen Street	72.05	
Woburn Street		28.3
East Street		27.8
Andover Street		304.65

GRAVEL

Street	Cu. Yds.	Street	Cu. Yds.
Chandler Street	282	Dudley Street	96
Rogers Street	318	Walnut Street	20
Livingston Street	20	Nichols Street	10
Elm Street	14	Brown Street	4
Glenwood Avenue	86	School Street	152

Street	Cu. Yds.
Idlewild Street	6
Pinedale Street	4
Pond Street	246
River Road	36
Pine Street	12
Trull Road	10
Foster Street	6
Astle Street	8
Rosemary Road	14
Heath Street	14
Coolidge Street	18
Water Street	10
Roosevelt Street	12

Street	Cu. Yds.
Hoover Street	20
Durn Street	18
Willow Street	14
Andover Street	36
Mill Street	48
Hill Street	18
McLaren Road	12
Pringle Street	18
Pupkis Road	26
Littlefield Avenue	302
Glenwood Road	162
North Street	7284

CULVERTS, CATCH BASINS, PIPE AND GUARD RAILS

Street	Kind	Diameter in Inches	Location
South Street	Catch Basin		Near Kane's Res.
North Street	Catch Basin		Cor. Kendall Road & North Street
North Street	Corr. Paved Coated	18	Near Shanley's Res.
North Street	Corr. Paved Coated	18	Approximately 150 Ft. w/s B. & M. R. R.
North Street	Corr. Paved Coated	12	Cor. Kendall Road & North Street.
North Street	50 Ft. 12 In. Plain Concrete Pipe.		
North Street	22 Ft. 14 In. Plain Concrete Pipe.		
North Street	100 Ft. 18 In. Plain Concrete Pipe.		
South Street	87 Ft. 12 In. Plain Concrete Pipe.		
North Street	1000 Ft. Guard Rail.		
Clark Road	150 Ft. Guard Rail.		
Andover Street	75 Ft. Guard Rail.		
Pratt Street	175 Ft. Guard Fence.		

CHAPTER 90 CONSTRUCTION, NORTH STREET

For the past two years the State and County has not set up any funds for Chapter 90 Construction. This year we were most fortunate in obtaining an allotment from them with which to continue the construction on North Street. This contract, set up by the State and County, required a twenty-four foot wide, bituminous treated, graveled road, a surface area of 13,733 square yards, with the proper drainage. This construction started at the corner of North and Livingston Streets

and continued to the residence of Mr. Patten. The work is well underway and will be completed as soon as weather conditions are more favorable. We are anticipating a further allotment from the State and County, in the near future, with which to continue this work through to the main highway.

CHAPTER 90 MAINTENANCE

The usual maintenance of Chapter 90 Highways was carried out under the provisions of this allotment. All of our Chapter 90 Streets are in excellent condition. Approximately 105 tons of pea gravel was used in covering the asphalt on East Street, for a distance of about 2000 feet. Pleasant Street received the same treatment. Approximately 178 tons of pea gravel was used in resurfacing the street from the residence of Mr. Roper to that of Mr. Marshall. 109 tons of pea gravel was used in the same manner on Chapman Street, from the corner of Marsden Street to the Billerica and Tewksbury Line.

This year a new surface treatment, recommended by the State, was used on Andover Street. An application of Type J Topping was first applied. This acted as a base for the asphalt and pre-treated stone. A distance of one mile received this treatment, and approximately 305 tons of pre-treated stone was applied. A six foot wide strip, going the entire length of Woburn Street received the same application. It is our opinion that this new treatment will prove more durable than that which we have used previously. It, also, tends to abolish traffic sounds.

All of our guard rail fences and posts on our Chapter 90 Highways have been repaired and repainted.

For a financial report of this department, we refer you to the Auditor's report of Highway Expenditures.

Due to favorable circumstances our Board was able to stay well within its appropriation, and we are pleased to report an unexpended balance of $593.90.

In closing this report, our appreciation and thanks are extended to our Board of Selectmen, State and County Officials and Engineers, for their co-operation and untiring assistance.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS P. SAWYER,
CHESTER M. ROPER,
LOUIS O. BERUBE,
Road Commissioners
of Tewksbury.

RICHARD F. O'NEILL,
Superintendent of Streets.

ASSESSORS' REPORT

Value of land excluding Buildings Jan. 1, 1941		$ 857,507.00
Value of Buildings		2,080,175.00
Value of Personal Property		2,399,807.00
Total Valuation for 1941		5,337,489.00
Total Valuation for 1940		4,748,196.00
Gain in Valuation		589,293.00

TAX LEVY FOR 1941

State Tax	$ 12,210.00	
State Parks	257.81	
State Audit Deficit	15.62	
	$ 12,483.43	
County Tax	6,987.66	
County Hospital	1,139.62	
	$ 8,127.28	
Overlays 1941	2,932.47	
Deficit in Overlays	240.32	
	$ 3,172.79	
Total Town Appropriation	192,584.98	
To be taken from Available Funds	3,500.00	
	$ 196,084.98	
Total Appropriation		$ 219,868.00
Total Estimated Receipts		66,942.99
Total Amount to be Raised on Property and Polls		152,925.49

AUTO EXCISE LEVY

Total Valuation on Automobiles		$ 272,680.00
Amount of Warrants to Collector	$ 8,297.39	
Amount taken as Estimated Revenue	6,500.00	
Amount Abated	426.63	
Balance		$ 1,370.76

TABLE OF AGGREGATES

Number of Dwelling Houses Assessed	1,296
Number of Acres of Land	11,516
Horses	51
Cows	674
Neat Cattle	73
Swine	454
Sheep	2
Fowl	14,285
Foxes, Goats, Mink, etc.	55
Persons Assessed	2,193
Total Religious and Charitable Property Exempt	$ 211,525.00
Total Town and State Property Exempt	4,761,780.00

Respectfully submitted,

BUZZELL KING

PERCY L. HAINES

AUSTIN F. FRENCH,

Board of Assessors.

TEWKSBURY POLICE DEPARTMENT
1941

CYRIL L. BARKER, Chief

DANIEL D. STERLING	ROSS SARGENT
LAUCHIE McPHAIL	GEORGE M. HAZEL
CHESTER E. BURGESS	LAWRENCE K. KELLEY
JOSEPH A. VIVIER	JAMES MANLEY
ARTHUR LA FLEUR	JACK GRANEY
DANIEL J. SHEEHAN	HARRY P. WILEY

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE

December 31, 1941

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I respectfully submit the annual report of the Tewksbury Police Department, as follows:

Total number of arrests—113.

Assault and Battery	5
Larceny	2
Breaking and entering and larceny in the daytime	3
Drunkenness	76
Non-support	1
Absconding from State Infirmary	1
Violation of Motor Vehicle laws	5
Violation illegitimate child act	7
Threatening bodily harm	1
Carrying dangerous weapons	1
Vagrancy	1
Incest	1

Stubborn child	1
Safe-keeping	3
Using motor vehicle without authoritty	1
Violation of parole	1
Truancy	1
Operating under the influence of liquor	2
Total	113

Disposition of cases:

Lowell District Court:

Guilty	95
Guilty and held for Superior Court	7
Not guilty	5
Released by Probation Officer	19
Committed to House of Correction or State Farm	31
Fined	7
Cases filed	30
Probation suspended	16
Cases pending	3
Turned over to other police departments	2

Superior Court, Cambridge:

Guilty	7
Not guilty	0
Committed to House of Correction	3
Probation suspended	4
Cases pending	0

District Court sessions attended	124
Superior Court sessions attended	7
Civil Court sessions attended	22
Number of telephone calls received at office	4,707
Number of telephone calls received at Chief's home	2,784
Complaints received and investigated	465
Automobile accidents investigated	47
Summons served	58
Investigations for Draft Board No. 11	11
Public functions policed	52
Funerals policed	8
Messages delivered	37
Dogs hit by automobiles	23
Dog bite cases	13
Sudden deaths investigated	2
Doors, windows, etc. found open	22

State and/or Town Highway Departments notified of snow or ice on road surface	2
Persons admitted to Massachusetts State Infirmary and Hospital	35
Poles, wires down, street lights out, Lowell Electric Light notified	9
With agent of Humane Society	1
Missing persons	10
Cars reported stolen	27
Private hearings at office	53
Investigations for other departments	17
Investigations with Agent of Mass. Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children	7
Registration plates checked	8
Cases transported for Tewksbury Welfare Department	6
Fires covered	14
Stolen cars recovered	11
Registration plates recovered at request of Registrar	19
Cars stolen in Tewksbury	4
Stolen merchandise recovered	$6,875.
Automobile transfers	60

It will be noted that the work in the Police Department is increasing from many angles, and I would recommend your consideration of an increased personnel and appropriation to adequately give the necessary protection to the Town. Tewksbury is the only town in the immediate vicinity that is not operating a regular police department, ranging from four to seven regular men.

His excellency, the Governor of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, has warned the Police Chiefs of the Commonwealth to be prepared for this emergency. The appropriation submitted to the Chairman of the Finance Committee calls for your consideration of $12,000 which will add three additional regular men to the department.

I would like to call your attention to the fact that the responsibility of preserving life and property in this town is not a one man job. It is your responsibility just as much as it is mine, and unless additional appropriation and personnel is made available, we can not hope to be successful in this emergency. The existing situation today can not be passed over with five minutes consideration. We are at war, and the co-operation of everyone is necessary at this time. No one person can shun his duty nor can he evade his responsibility.

I feel I have fulfilled my obligations by calling the attention of the Board of Selectmen and from them to your Finance Committee, the problems confronting your department of public safety.

Since 1933 I have served you as constable. In 1935 it became my

pleasure to post all warrants for Town Meetings, State Primaries, State Elections and National Elections. This service has been given to you without any charge. I felt that in doing this I was being fair with the taxpayer because of your consideration in furnishing my department with a cruising car.

I feel it is time now for some one else to show a little civic interest and carry on as Constable and this is my reason for not being a candidate for re-election as Constable for the Town of Tewksbury. I wish to extend my sincere thanks to all my faithful supporters for their endorsement over the years.

I wish to thank the Board of Selectmen and the citizens of Tewksbury for their co-operation with the police department throughout the year. I also want to thank my brother officers for their interest shown, and for the efficient manner in which they performed their duties in serving the people of Tewksbury.

Rspectfully submitted,

CYRIL L. BARKER,

Chief of Police.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE TEWKSBURY PUBLIC LIBRARY

The trustees of the Public Library submit the following report:

Details of expenditures will be found in the report of the auditor.

Regular monthly meetings have been held with the exception of July and August.

The report of the librarian shows that 916 books have been added and the magazine list expanded.

If the patrons who desire any particular book will leave the name and author with the librarian it will be procured.

We wish to thank the librarians and those in whose homes the library boxes are placed for their faithful and courteous service. We regret to note the death of Miss Eleanor J. Blaisdell in whose home the Wamesit box of books had been placed for sixty years. We appreciate the service rendered by Miss Blaisdell during that long period.

The trustees respectfully request that the article in the warrant asking for an appropriation of $1,300.00 and the money received from the dog tax be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

MARIAN E. FRENCH, Secretary,
HARRY PRIESTLEY,
EDGAR SMITH,
RUTH W. SMITH,
DOROTHY FITZGERALD,
HAROLD J. PATTEN,
Trustees Public Library.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

To the Trustees of the Tewksbury Public Library:

The following report is respectfully submitted:

The circulation of magazines is very good, two copies each of the following magazines are now available. American Home, Child Life, House Beautiful, Life, National Geographic, Popular Mechanics, and Readers' Digest.

The circulation of books is good. A number of books has been purchased for book reports and reading list. The library opened Wednesday afternoon, October 1st after being closed during July, August and September.

Nine hundred fifteen books were added, five hundred sixty seven fiction; one hundred ninety two non fiction; one hundred fifty six juvenile.

CIRCULATION OF BOOKS AT THE LIBRARY

Wednesday Afternoons

Fiction	2535	Religion	2
History	35	Sociology	14
Literature	8	Science	10
Travel	27	Poetry	8
Arts	42	Philosophy	6
Biography	34	Total	2726

Wednesday Evenings

Fiction	2886	Religion	5
History	24	Sociology	25
Literature	6	Science	28
Travel	35	Poetry	15
Arts	40	Philosophy	13
Biography	28	Total	3105

Saturdays

Fiction	9058	Religion	26
History	82	Sociology	45
Literature	14	Science	40
Travel	103	Poetry	41
Arts	175	Philosophy	32
Biography	125	Total	9741

Wednesdays and Saturdays 15,572

Library and Districts 17,296

CIRCULATION OF BOOKS IN DISTRICTS

Wamesit

Fiction	555	Religion	
History		Sociology	
Literature		Science	1
Travel	2	Poetry	
Arts		Philosophy	
Biography	3	Total	561

Mrs. Randolph Fitzgerald

Fiction	585	Religion	5
History	10	Sociology	13
Literature	1	Science	2
Travel	21	Poetry	4
Arts	7	Philosophy	3
Biography	17	Total	668

Silver Lake Bakery

Fiction	495	Religion	
History		Sociology	
Literature		Science	
Travel		Poetry	
Arts		Philosophy	
Biography		Total	495

Total Circulation in Districts 1,724

CIRCULATION OF MAGAZINES

American	82	Jack and Jill	1
American Boy	13	Ladies' Home Journal	61
American Cookery	31	Life	371
American Girl	11	McCall's	63
American Home	138	Mechanix Illustrated	45
Atlantic Monthly	34	National Geographic	99
Better Homes & Gardens	62	Opportunity	3
Child Life	55	Popular Mechanics	106
Children's Playmate	27	Popular Science	52
Consumers' Digest	15	Readers' Digest	77
Cosmopolitan	50	Wee Wisdom	22
Good Housekeeping	96	Woman's Home Companion	71
Harper's	41	Others	3
Hobbies	24		
House Beautiful	116		
Hygeia	50	Total	1819

ABBIE M. BLAISDELL,

Librarian.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

GENERAL RELIEF

Owing to improved business conditions, this department was able to complete the year well within it's appropriation. There was a case load decrease of 52 families, representing 187 persons.

It is encouraging that able-bodied persons are securing employment and with the increase in National Defense production, it is expected that this trend will continue. Of course, on the other side of the picture there is the possibility of a decrease of labor in private industries not engaged in defense work, with the result that there may be a certain class of cases that will require some temporary assistance until they can be absorbed in other employment. The case load of unemployable persons is not expected to decrease and total aid is granted in most cases.

Although town officials had completed all details concerning the participation of Tewksbury in the Federal Stamp Plan in April, no action has been taken by the Federal authorities, but assurance has been received that the plan will go into effect in 1942.

Knowing that expense of the town in other departments will be increased owing to the present national emergency, the Board feels that an appropriation of $10,000 should be sufficient for the Welfare Board for 1942.

The financial statement of expenditures in this department appears in the Auditor's report.

The following is a recapitulation of the families and persons represented, aided by the Welfare Department of this town for the year 1941:

	Families	Persons
Town settled cases aided in Tewksbury	30	78
Town settled cases aided by other cities, towns	11	34
Aided in Tewksbury, unsettled or settled elsewhere	35	161
Hospitalization, members of above families		4
Hospitalization, cases receiving no other aid	11	11
Total	87	288

Received as reimbursement for aid granted to cases with settlements elsewhere:

Town of Billerica	$ 204.24	
Town of Lexington	40.21	
Town of North Andover	305.00	
Town of Reading	24.00	
Town of Wilmington	102.29	
City of Chelsea	481.71	
City of Everett	318.87	
City of Gloucester	11.40	
City of Malden	7.50	
City of Lawrence	54.00	
City of Lowell	861.50	
City of Medford	201.98	
Total Cities and Towns		$ 2,612.70
Commonwealth of Massachusetts		2,429.13
Individuals reimbursed		106.71
Total receipts		5,148.54

There is due from the following sources:

Town of Dracut	$ 5.00	
City of Boston	189.22	
City of Cambridge	108.00	
City of Lowell	15.00	
City of Malden	4.00	
City of Medford	16.33	
Total due from cities and Towns		$ 337.55
Estimated from Commonwealth ..		1,297.47
Total estimates		1,635.02

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

At the present time there is a case load of 11 families, representing 28 persons aided under this division. This type of assistance is for families with children under 18 years of age, attending school, who have been deprived of parental support of one or both parents. The case load is steadier than that of general relief and as total assistance is granted the expense of providing for these children is necessarily higher.

It is estimated that an appropriation of $4,500 will be necessary for 1942. This appropriation will be used in conjunction with Federal Funds, which it is estimated will amount to $2,412.

Reimbursement from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts amounted to $2,600.53. The financial statement of expenditures appears in the Auditor's report.

BUREAU OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

The case load for this department on January 1, 1941 was 62 persons. During the year 24 applications were received, of these 22 were approved for assistance and 2 were rejected. A total of 17 cases were closed during the year by reason of death, removal to other cities and towns, or for other reasons, leaving a case load of 67 persons on December 31, 1941. There was a turnover of 39 cases for the year.

It is estimated that the town's share of expenses for 1942 will amount to $13,000 and that appropriation is requested.

The financial statement of expenditures appears in the Auditor's report.

Received as reimbursement for aid granted to cases with settlements elsewhere:

Town of Arlington	$ 46.90	
Town of Stoneham	13.00	
Town of Wilmington	130.73	
City of Boston	65.59	
Ctiy of Lowell	81.92	
City of Lynn	90.00	
City of Malden	90.58	
City of New Bedford	20.83	
Total Cities & Towns		$ 539.55
Commonwealth of Massachusetts		8,913.42
Total		9,452.97

There is due from the following sources:

Town of Arlington	$ 95.33
Town of Wilmington	217.16
City of Boston	251.81
City of Lowell	56.58

City of Melrose	45.00	
City of Revere	35.67	
Total Cities & Towns		$ 701.55
Estimated from the Commonwealth		4,939.92
Total due		5,641.47

The total cost to the Town for all forms of relief has been $27,718.83. We have succeeded in collecting from various sources $17,202.04, making a net cost of all relief $10,516.79.

Respectfully submitted,

DUNCAN J. CAMERON, Chairman,
IRVING F. FRENCH,
BERNARD H. GREENE.

REPORT OF HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Chairman Greene and Members of the Tewksbury Board of Health:

The following is my report as your agent for the year ending December 31st, 1941.

We have had no run of serious contagious disease, but have had the most widespread epidemic of mumps in the history of the Board of Health, namely 206 cases.

The probable reason for this is the attitude, that it is not serious and has few complications, but from the board's point of view, unless cases are reported there is no way of controlling such a situation. Of the 206 cases coming to our attention through the investigation of Miss Haines only 10 were reported by the families and none by the physician in charge of the case.

Since private supplies are the town's source of drinking water to a great extent, we advise conservative and greater protection from contamination, such as built up curbs to prevent surface drainage from entering and the prevention of animal and vegetable refuse deposits near enough for seepage to get to supply.

The following is the list of reportable diseases for the past year:

Cases	No.	Deaths
Dog Bite	5	0
Tuberculosis	2	0
Measles	1	0
Diphtheria	0	0
Pneumonia	2	0
Whooping Cough	14	0
Mumps	206	0
Total	230	0

In a letter from the State Department of recent date they notified us of an outbreak of rabies in the southern section of our county and isolated cases have occurred, as near as our neighbor in the south. They recommend immunization of all our dogs to prevent its spread.

HERBERT M. LARRABEE, M. D.

Agent of Board of Health.

Jan. 1st, 1942.

REPORT OF WORK PROJECTS ADMINISTRATION

To the Board of Selectmen:

During the year 1941, the following projects have been worked upon.

SIDEWALKS: 6,759 feet of sidewalk was constructed along Chandler, East and Pleasant streets, with an asphalt surface 4½ feet wide.

STREETS: This year we have built Pupkis, Beech, Cherry, Walnut, Maple, Laite, Highlandview, Sunnyslope, School, Willow, Mystic, Parker, Roosevelt and Hoover Streets, approximately 6800 feet in length. In addition to this, Oak, Dudley, Wilson and Pratt Streets have been widened, loam stripped off and we are now in the process of gravelling Pratt Street. The stripped area is 3850 feet in length and 20 feet wide.

SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM: We have served 63,647 meals at the lunch room during the past year, there have been as many as 19 women on this project and at present, 13 are assigned. The equipment for the Shawsheen School lunch room and necessary dishes were purchased, together with considerable additions to the stock at the High School. Lumber was purchased and tables and benches were built by Mr. Wiley. Also a portion of the coal bin was made into a storage room at the High School. In spite of the investment of $619.48 in equipment, the cost of the meals averages approximately $.0419 apiece.

SEWING PROJECT: This project was discontinued July 1, 1941, the personnel being transferred to the School Lunch Project in September.

WHITE COLLAR PROJECTS: Discontinued July 1, 1941 except for one man assigned to a State-Wide project at present operating at the State Infirmary.

MOTH PROJECTS: A small crew was employed until July 1, 1941 when all this class of projects was stopped.

COMMODITIES: Owing to the fact that the Federal Food Stamp Plan has not been installed we have maintained the distribution center throughout the year. There has been issued through that office a total of 22,703.72 worth of food and clothing.

Some provision should be made for exchanging the G.M.C. truck for one less expensive to operate.

I feel an appropriation of $6000 together with the unexpended balance will be adequate for the year 1942. This would provide for the School Lunch Program, Maintenance of School Lunch Program, Commodities and Office Maintenance, and leave a reserve fund for unforseen items.

The present personnel report shows 35 persons on WPA payrolls.

Respectfully submitted,

EVERETT H. KING,

WPA Sponsor's Agent.

WPA INVENTORY

December 28, 1941.

COMMODITY CENTER, SPAULDING SCHOOL — SUPPLIES

1	Woodstock typewriter
2	tables
2	chairs
800	20 lb. paper bags
500	6 lb. paper bags
½	Ton Coal
½	Cord Wood

ROAD PROJECT

1	Shanty
1	Toolbox
1	Conant Loading Machine
3	Trucks (Dodge, Ford, G.M.C.)
1	First Aid Kit
2	Axes
1	20 foot chain
4	Square Shovels
22	Long-Handled Shovels
14	Picks
7	Grubs
3	Drills
1	12-lb. Hammer
2	WPA Signs
1	2-lb. Hammer
8	Pins
250	Foot Line
1	Stone Drag

FIRE BARN

2	Blocks, 7 inch Triple
3	Pair Rubber Boots

GOLEN'S GARAGE

1	Reo

Uniforms	$	80.81
Towels		8.50
Dishes		72.89
2 Stoves		53.35
Stove Plate		12.00
Silver		31.88
Kitchen Utensils		185.45
Key and Lock		2.25
Glasses		29.73
Silver		16.75
Office Supplies		9.95
FOOD		
Canned Goods		40.00
Potatoes, 350 lbs.		6.48

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

As Chief of the Fire Department, I herewith submit the following report:

Total Number of Fires Attended	165
Forest and Brush Fires	46
Grass Fires	48
Pine Needles Fires	22
Building Fires	13
Out of Town Fires	11
Dump Fires	7
Chimney Fires	5
Leaf Fires	5
False Alarms	4
Automobile Fires	2
Rubbish Fires	2

Total value of buildings and contents: Twenty two thousand, eight hundred dollars ($22,800).

Insurance paid: Three thousand, eight hundred and fifteen dollars ($3,815).

Damage: Three thousand, eight hundred and fifteen dollars ($3,815).

Laid 4,200 feet of 2½-inch hose, 9,300 feet of 1½-inch hose, 48,350 feet of one-inch hose and used 350 pump cans.

Raised 366 feet of ladders and traveled 925 miles to fires.

Personal property and real estate of the department, thirty-two thousand, five hundred dollars ($32,500).

Respectfully Submitted,

ALDEN S. HAINES,

Chief of Fire Department.

REPORT OF THE SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and Citizens:

The following is my report as your Sealer of Weights and Measures for the year 1941.

Scales

Platform over 5000 lbs.	3
Platform 100 to 5000 lbs.	10
Counter under 100 lbs.	1
Beam under 100 lbs.	4
Spring 100 lbs. or over	1
Spring under 100 lbs.	20
Computing under 100 lbs.	5
Personal weighting	1
Avoirdupois	41
Condemned personal weighting	1
Condemned platform	1

Measuring Devices

Gasoline Pumps	Sealed	23
Gasoline Pumps	Not Sealed	5
Kerosene Pumps	Sealed	2
Oil Measuring Pumps	Sealed	4
Quantity Measures on Pumps	Sealed	16

Amount collected and turned over to the Treasurer.....$27.56

Respectfully Submitted,

VICTOR N. CLUFF,

Sealer of Weights and Measures.

REPORT OF TREE WARDEN

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

As Tree Warden I submit the following:

Brush has been cut on all streets, 64 miles, all corners where view was obstructed, permission was asked of land owners and brush cut to have an unobstructed view of at least 300 feet.

72 trees considered dangerous and 21 requested by property owners were removed.

40 Linden, Pine, and Maple trees were planted and watered during the summer. Dangerous hanging limbs were removed from maples on Chandler and Andover streets. Trees should be pruned on all streets owing to mild weather followed by a very sudden freeze many trees are cracking at crotches and should be bolted for safety.

Poison Ivy is very heavy on most of our streets and many cases of poisoning have been reported, especially to children. No lasting benefit is received by cutting. There are two ways of extermination, pulling of plants with roots and burning with crude oil during growing season. Would suggest the latter as there is less chance of being poisoned then by handling. We should have a burning outfit for this purpose. This department needs $1,500.00.

Yours Respectfully,

HARRIS M. BRIGGS,

Tree Warden.

REPORT OF THE MOTH SUPERINTENDENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

As local agent for suppression of moth pests I submit the following:

There is a slight increase of Gypsy moths, the infestation is very heavy in the North, West and Centre Sections while in the East and South it is light.

A survey of the woodlands with Department of Conservation and U. S. Department of Agriculture agents following the spraying season was made. It was estimated there were about 300 acres totally and 500 acres partially defoliated.

64 miles of roadside and 300 acres of woodland was sprayed.

The decrease of Tent caterpillars has been very noticeable owing to early spraying, removing of favorite food and nesting trees and bushes (Wild Cherry). All wild cherry should be cut and burned along walls bordering streets, even on private property. The Elm Tree Beetle was exceptionally troublesome. Extensive spraying was done, all elms were sprayed twice and many 3 times. These pests hibernate during the winter in the adult stage (Beetle) under bark, behind blinds but usually in our attics. After a few warm days they emerge, start feeding and laying eggs. This would be the best time to destroy them with poison but the leaves are not large enough to hold the spray. In 7 or 8 days the eggs hatch and the young slugs start feeding about May 15. Spraying is started at this time and continues through the summer to August 1st. No Brown Tail moths were found and no doubt are held under suppression by parasite and Fungus disease.

All trees should be sprayed from May 15 to August 15 and a cheap truck bought.

$1,500 should be appropriated for this department.

If you intend planting potatoes the coming summer do so within 200 feet of street and get the advantage of free spraying.

Yours Respectfully,

HARRIS M. BRIGGS.

Moth Superintendent

REPORT OF THE PARK COMMISSIONERS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

As Park Commissioners we submit the following:

During the year the commons have been raked, mowed, young trees watered and fertilizer applied.

Had intended spreading fertilizer each week but owing to the drought had to discontinue on account of burning.

Colored lights were strung and lighted on the bandstand from Christmas to New Years.

Owing to the run out condition of soil on the commons a light coating of loam or peat should be applied.

Since the outbreak of war the flag has been raised each day. If we intend its continuance throughout the year allowance must be made for new flags and cost of raising.

We recommend an appropriation of $250.

Yours Respectfully,

THOMAS C. McAUSLAND,

W. J. ROBERTS

HARRIS M. BRIGGS,

Park Commissioners

REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF MEATS AND PROVISIONS

To the Board of Selectmen, Town of Tewksbury:

Gentlemen:

Following is my report for the inspection of meats and provisions for the year of 1941 from Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 1941.

Number of sides of beef inspected	1602
Number of Calves inspected	1151
Number of Hogs inspected	1273
Number of Sheep inspected	91

Cattle Condemned:

Number of sides of Beef condemned	6
Number of Heads condemned	4
Nuumber of sets of Lungs condemned	12
Number of Livers condemned	12

Swine condemned:

Number of Swine condemned	10
Number of Heads condemned	14
Number of Sets of Lungs condemned	31
Number of Livers condemned	31

Calves condemned:

Number of Veals condemned	27
Number of Sheep condemned	1

Respectfully Submitted,

ASAHEL H. JEWELL,

Inspector of Meats and Provisions.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

To the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Tewksbury:

Gentlemen:

Following is the report of the Inspector of Animals from Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 1941.

Cows inspected	844
Young Cattle inspected	127
Bulls inspected	25
Sheep inspected	1
Hogs inspected	1,407
Goats inspected	16
Stables inspected	75
Steers inspected	12

I have released for immediate slaughter 28 head of cattle and 62 calves.

For dairy purposes I have released 345 head of cattle.

14 dogs were quarantined and 1 cat for rabies and released at the end of 14 days.

Sent 1 dog head to laboratory.

Inspected 1 barn after state test.

Respectfully Submitted,

ASAHEL H. JEWELL,

Inspector of Animals.

REPORT OF DOG OFFICER

Jan. 10, 1942.

Board of Selectmen,

Tewksbury, Mass.

	Hours	Miles
Investigations (License)	95	950
Investigations — Dogs killing chickens	3	12
Complaints—Barking dogs, etc.	30	165
Dogs destroyed (31)	31	310
Dogs sheltered (31)		
Dogs placed in homes (8)	12	50
Dead dogs picked up from highway (22)	22	120
Telephone calls—approximately	180	
	373	1,607

GERALD J. FINNERAN,

Dog Officer.

REPORT OF THE STADIUM COMMISSION

Board of Selectmen,
Tewksbury, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The following is our report for the year ending December 31, 1941.

Owing to the expense involved and the small appropriation we had to work with we were unable to do any work on building up the Stadium playing fields. Mr. Fred Carter checked with Waltham field station of the Department of Agriculture and they advised him that the least expensive and most satisfactory method of building up such sandy loam would be the use of peat. However, due to the present emergency and the expense involved, we feel that such an outlay of money would be a drain on the tax payers at this time.

All the wood on both the football and baseball bleachers and the wood trim on the field house and ticket booth was given one coat of the best grade of paint. We feel that it should be given one more coat this year.

The cement on the football bleachers cracked and chipped in several places. We had all this loose cement removed and expect to find a satisfactory and inexpensive method to refinish these sections this year.

Mr. Harry Wiley was appointed custodian of the field house for the year. He replaced several broken windows and built three wooden lockers for athletic equipment in addition to his regular duties.

We wish at this time to thank Mr. William Dewing for labor he donated in reconditioning the pump which was badly in need of repair.

It is hoped that the request for $350.00 found in the warrant will be granted.

For a financial report of the Commission, we refer you to the Auditor's report.

Respectfully yours,

WILLIAM J. O'NEIL
J. HARPER GALE
FREDERICK M. CARTER
Stadium Commission.

WARRANT FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Middlesex, ss:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury in said County:

Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town Affairs, to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury on Wednesday, February 4, 1942, at ten o'clock A. M., to act on the following articles:

ART. 1. To choose all necessary Town Officers, to choose by ballot a Moderator, Town Clerk, three Selectmen, three members of the Board of Public Welfare, three members of the Board of Health, a Town Treasurer, an Auditor, a Collector of Taxes, a Tree Warden and three Constables, all to serve one year; one Highway Commissioner to serve three years; one member of the School Committee to serve three years, two Trustees of the Public Library to serve three years; one Park Commissioner to serve three years; one Assessor to serve three years; one Commissioner of Trust Fund to serve three years.

The polls for the election of Town Officers to be opened at ten o'clock A. M. and to be closed at 8 P. M.

And you are also hereby further required and directed to notify and warn the said inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, who are qualified to vote on elections and Town affairs, therein to assemble subsequently and meet in Town Meeting at the Town Hall in said Town of Tewksbury on Wednesday, February 11, 1942, at seven-thirty o'clock P. M., then and there to act on the following articles:

ART. 2. To hear reports of Town Officers and Committees and act thereon.

ART. 3. To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise by taxation to defray necessary expenses for the current year, and make appropriations for the same.

ART. 4. To see if the Town will vote the money arising from licensing dogs, for the ensuing year to aid in support of the Public Library.

ART. 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1942, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

VOTED: That the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1942 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ART. 6. To see what regulations the Town will make for the possession, management and sale of land sold for unpaid taxes and for the assignment of Tax Titles not inconsistent with law or with the right of redemption as provided by Sec. 52 of Chap. 60 of the General Laws as amended by Sec. 3 of Chapter 126 of the Acts of 1927, and to see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for the enforcement of such rules and regulations.

ART. 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $350.00 for the proper observance of Memorial Day, and appoint a committee to expend the money. Said committee to be taken from members of Spanish War Veterans, American Legion, or Sons of Veterans.

ART. 8. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to institute suits on behalf of the Town or defend any suits that are, or may be brought against the Town, and to sign any contracts or agreements in behalf of the Town.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum sufficient to pay the County of Middlesex, as required by law, the Town's share of the net cost of the care, maintenance, and repair of the Middlesex County Tuberculosis Hospital, as assessed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 111 of the General Laws and Acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto including Chapter 400, Section 25 G (6) (a) of the Acts of 1936 or take any action in relation thereto.

ART. 10. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell, after first giving notice of the time and place of sale by posting such notice of sale in some convenient and public place in the town fourteen days at least before the sale, property taken by the town under tax title procedure provided that the selectmen or whomsoever they may authorize to hold such public auction may reject any bid which they deem inadequate, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Board of Selectmen to sell any parcel or parcels of land acquired by the Town through Tax Title foreclosure proceedings whose Tax Title value is less than $40.00, for whatever sum it may be in their judgment to the best interest of the Town, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 12. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen and the Treasurer to foreclose either through the Land Court or by affidavit of the Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation, any Tax Title held by the Town for more than two years, and to see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate therefor or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 13. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Road Machinery Fund and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing, repairing and operating road machinery; to which fund shall be accredited—in addition to the sum appropriated——such sums as may be allotted for the use of town-owned highway equipment operated for highway purposes in conjunction with the State and County, or take any other action thereto.

ART. 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2000. for the Maintenance of Chapter 90, Highways: said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 15. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of $148.95 to pay the balance due Lull and Hartford, Inc. for high school athletic equipment; also the sum of $20.26 to pay the bill of Middlesex Supply Co. for hardware, etc.

ART. 16. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate to be used in conjunction with Federal Funds for Works Projects Administration expenses for the year 1942, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 17. To see if the Town will rescind the vote taken under Article 26, in the 1938 warrant, whereby the Town voted to instruct the town clerk to include a copy of minutes of all meetings held during the current year in the annual report of town officers of Tewksbury.

ART. 18. To see if the Town will vote to install two lights on Woburn St., make appropriation for same, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 19. To see if the Town will vote to install one light on Fiske St., near the residence of C. F. Fitzgerald, make appropriation for same, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 20. To see if the Town will vote to place one street light on Cherry Road, make appropriation for same, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 21. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to improve the street lighting between Chandler St. and Saint William's Church; or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 22. To see if the Town will vote to install a street light in front of the residence of Herbert Pillsbury on Pleasant Street, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 23. To see if the Town will vote to place one light at the corner of School and Pond Streets, and one light at the junction of Parker and Green Streets, make appropriation for same, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 24. To see if the Town will change the membership of the Finance Committee by amending a vote of the annual town meeting on February 17, 1921, creating this committee, to read as follows:

At the annual meeting and before the final adjournment thereof there shall be appointed by the Moderator four members of a Finance Committee consisting of twelve members, none of whom shall be an officer of, or a member of, any board of the Town. The present members of the Finance Committee who are not members of the Selectmen, Road Commissioners, and School Board shall serve through the terms for which they were appointed or chosen. As the term of each member of the committee expires, the Moderator shall hereafter appoint some person for the succeeding term to serve three years. Vacancies shall be filled by the remaining members of the Committee.

The Finance Committee shall meet and organize by the election of a chairman and a clerk. When the warrant for the town meeting contains any article or articles under which an appropriation or expenditure of money, or the disposition of any property of the Town, may be made, the Finance Committee shall consider said articles after giving one or more public hearings thereon, and shall report in print its recommendations to the said town meeting. Two members of this committee shall be appointed from each of the following sections, North, South, East, West, Centre, and Wamesit.

ART. 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $50.00 in support of the Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture, through the Middlesex County Extension Service, and elect a director. Said money to be spent under the direction of the local director, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 26. To see if the Town will vote that all Motor Vehicles, owned by the Town of Tewksbury, shall be lettered with the name of Department to which the vehicle belongs, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 27. To see if the Town will vote to choose by ballot at the Annual Town Meeting in February, 1943, three Selectmen, three members of the Board of Public Welfare, and three members of the Board of Health, one to serve three years, one to serve two years, and one to serve one year, and each succeeding year to choose by ballot one Selectman, one member of the Board of Public Welfare, and one member of the Board of Health, to serve for the period of three years or to take any action relative to same.

ART. 28 To see if the Town will vote that the Highway Department, cut all brush on the highways of Tewksbury, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 29. To see if the Town will vote to abolish the Chief of Police, and the Board of Selectmen to appoint a Captain temporarily, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 30. To see if the Town will vote that all Boards shall notify, in writing, of all meetings and no sealed bids shall be opened until all members are present, or take any other action on same.

ART. 31. To see if the Town will vote to increase the wages of the Highway Dept. 10 per cent or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 32. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to construct a bituminous concrete sidewalk along Main St. from Chandler St. to Saint William's Church or to some point beyond; or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 33. To see if the Town will vote to open the showerbaths at the stadium during the summer months for the use of the citizens, and that the selectmen set a fee for the use thereof, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 34. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue street lights on Maple, Beach and Walnut Streets, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 35. To see if the Town will vote to place two stop signs; one at the junction of Whipple and Coolidge, and one at the junction of Whipple and Heath St., appropriate for same, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 36. To see what sum of money be raised and appropriated for necessary expenses of the Civilian Defense committee or take any other action thereto.

ART. 37. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $200 for clerical services in the office of the Town Treasurer for the year of 1942 or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 38. To see if the Town will vote to widen Marston Street from Chapman Road to Rogers Street, make appropriation for same or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 39. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 500 of the Acts of 1941, which act will allow the City of Lowell to enter the Town of Tewksbury for the purpose of laying water pipes etc., and which project will not entail said Town of Tewksbury or residents of the town any monetary expense.

ART. 40. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding $350 for repairs to and maintenance of the athletic field and structures thereon at the high school and for the maintenance of athletics at the high school.

ART. 41. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for a reserve fund under Section 6 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws or take any other action thereto.

ART. 42. To raise and appropriate the sum of $125.00 for maintainence of the Legion Quarters.

ART. 43. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,500.00 to purchase a 2 1-2 ton truck chassis and cab, 500 gallon front end pump, material, labor and equipment for same for the fire department, or take any action thereto.

ART. 44. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,200.00 to purchase 2 1-2 inch, 1 1-2 inch and 1 1-8 inch hose, also 3-4 inch booster hose, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 45. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $300.00 for purchase and installation of power takeoff and a rotary pump for No. 4 Truck or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 46. To see if the Town will vote to install one siren in North Tewksbury and one in South Tewksbury, with proper wiring and connections, and make appropriation for same, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 47. To see if the Town will authorize the Town Treasurer on behalf of the Town to convey to Mary J. Smith the land in Tewksbury described as lot 65 on "Plan of Woodland Park, Wilmington and Tewksbury, belonging to Cora R. Clatur," June 1916, recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book of Plans 39, Plan 16.

ART. 48. To see if the Town will accept Cherry Road leading to Samuel Feinstein Estate.

ART. 49. To see if the Town will instruct the Board of Selectmen to remove the W. P. A. sponsor's agent.

Given under our hands, this 19th day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and forty-two.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and leave one hundred copies for the use of the citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, 8 days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid:—

Given under our hands, this 14th day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and forty-two.

IRVING F. FRENCH,
BERNARD H. GREENE,
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Constable of Tewksbury

Annual Report

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF THE

Town of Tewksbury

Also Report of
Superintendent of Schools

For the Year Ending December 31,

1941

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Mrs. May L. Larrabee	1941-1943	Chairman	Tewksbury, Mas.
J. Harper Gale	1941-1944	Secretary	Tewksbury, Mass.
Ralph Battles	1941-1942	No.	Tewksbury, Mass.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Stephen G. Bean — Wilmington, Mass.

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Herbert M. Larrabee — Tewksbury, Mass.

SCHOOL NURSE

Miss Edith E. Haines — Tewksbury, Mass.

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

Harry Wiley — Tewksbury, Mass.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The work and supervision in the schools has been carried on in the usual manner during the past year.

Repairs have been made on all school buildings as deemed necessary by the committee.

The Foster School was repainted during the summer, adding greatly to its appearance. The rear part of the roof was also reshingled. The white trimming on the High School was also repainted.

Two additional rooms were built in the rear of the Shawsheen School. The eighth grade which had been temporarily holding classes at the Foster School during the past two years was able to return to their own school. The first grade which had been holding classes in the Spaulding School, was then able to return to the Foster School making it possible to close the Spaulding School which was most unsuitable for classroom purposes.

A report on the Shawsheen School can be found in the report of the Shawsheen School Building Committee.

ESTIMATED EXPENSES FOR THE SCHOOL DEPARTMENT FOR 1942

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Superintendent	$ 877.00
Supervisors	1,020.00
Teachers	17,380.00
Janitors	3,552.00
Transportation	6,000.00
Fuel	1,200.00
Books and Supplies	1,500.00
Health	1,500.00
Insurance	500.00
District	150.00
Miscellaneous	1,000.00
Repairs	1,200.00
	$ 35,879.00

HIGH SCHOOL

Supervisors	$ 250.00	
Teachers	14,670.00	
Janitor	1,300.00	
Transportation	2,900.00	
Fuel	700.00	
Books and supplies	1,400.00	
Miscellaneous	1,741.00	
Equipment and Repairs	800.00	
Insurance	360.00	
		$ 24,121.00
Total		$ 60,000.00

Respectfully submitted,

MAY L. LARRABEE, Chairman,
J. HARPER GALE,
RALPH S. BATTLES.

TEWKSBURY SCHOOL REPORT

To the School Committee:

Madam and Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my eleventh report as Superintendent of Schools for the Town of Tewksbury.

Since this report is written so soon after the close of the fiscal year and the winter vacation it is somewhat difficult to get desired data in time for inclusion. It has often been suggested that statistical matter is of no interest to the average citizen and is therefore an unnecessary adjunct to this report. I find however that I frequently have to refer to old town reports to verify very important facts for former pupils of the schools. Reference is constantly made to the tabulations for comparison with different years and conditions in the past. Often these reports are the sole remaining record of important data from the past years.

This year another reason has risen for brevity in treatment of the report. Paper is getting to be one of those products affected by our war effort. It is both scarce and expensive. Any waste of it for the expression of other than essential facts is therefore undesirable. I have therefore tried to reduce this report to the absolute minimum.

THE TEACHING PERSONNEL

An outstanding characteristic of this past year has been the excessive turnover in the teaching corps. What with war and matrimony we have been hard pressed to maintain an adequate personnel. We are frequently told that there is a surplus of teachers. We have found during the past year that the kind of teachers we want is not plentiful at the price we can pay. Of course this is the determining factor in our ability to maintain an adequate staff. Good teachers are scarce, and like any field in which the supply of a commodity is limited, this is the determining factor in setting the salary that they can demand. It is a continuous struggle to keep a strong teaching force together.

It is a very popular belief that anyone who has graduated from a Teachers' College or from any other collegiate institution is by virtue of that fact certain to be a successful teacher. Nothing could be less true. Many of those who graduate from college with the highest honors are unable to meet the demands of the various requirements, not learned in college, which are so necessary for truly successful teaching. Teaching is not a process of providing a reservoir of knowledge with a continually running stream which is drawn off in small wide mouthed receptacles. Knowledge is not acquired or transmitted that way. The most successful teacher is that rare person endowed with the ability to arouse in her charges the desire and will to learn. Without this, little real learning is done. That is why the personal qualities of the teacher are so important. It is the reason why personality is so highly placed in teacher characteristics.

A glance at the roster of school employees elsewhere in this report will show the following changes from last year:

In the High School Mr. Whitman Pearson, the headmaster, left to take his place in the service of the nation. Mr. Richard Miller was secured to direct the fortunes of the school during the absence of Mr. Pearson in service.

Mr. Lawrence McGowan, teacher and coach of athletics was also called to the colors later in the year. Mr. Joseph King took over the teaching assignments and Mr. Charles Hazel the coaching duties of Mr. McGowan.

Mr. Roland Bourdon gave up his position in the manual training department to take up one of his other trades in the employ of the Boston Globe. Mr. David Lynch was elected to succeed Mr. Bourdon.

Miss Elizabeth Mulrey who acted as a subsitute during part of the year was elected to a regular teaching position in the department of Social Science. Miss Mulrey also assumed the duties of coach of field hockey upon the resignation of Miss Moran.

Miss Moran resigned to take a better position elsewhere and was followed by Miss Lenore Meehan.

Another member of the high school staff lured away by increased salary was Miss Angelica Carabello, the director of music. Miss Harriet Donehue of Lowell was employed in this position.

From the Foster school three members were lost because of matrimony. Miss Alberta Ringer, who had the division of the eighth grade from the Shawsheen district, did not return. Miss Dorothy Ward, teacher of the seventh grade, was succeeded by Mrs. Lyons by transfer,

Miss Mildred Rollo, teacher of the first grade, retired to be married, was replaced by Miss Catherine Meloy.

There were two resignations from the staff of the Shawsheen School. The Principal, Miss Elizabeth Hill, secured a better position in Lynnfield, and Miss Margaret Hedstrom left at the close of the school year to be married. These two changes together with the increase in capacity of the Shawsheen building made a teaching corps there, four out of six of whom are new to our system. Mr. James Sampson was elected principal to succeed Miss Hill. The eighth grade was returned from the Foster school and placed in his charge. Miss Lora Von Bergen took over the sixth and seventh grades formerly taught by Miss Hill. The fifth grade was placed in the charge of Miss Gertrude Holt and the third grade position was filled by one of our local girls, Miss Josephine MacLellan.

From the above it can be seen that we have had a greater than forty per cent turnover in personnel during the year. Under existing world conditions it will be not at all strange if this sort of thing continues. There will surely be many vacancies created by our "total war" preparations. This will mean that those who have the financial ability will draw the teachers from places where they will pay less. The day of a surplus of teachers at low salaries is over "for the duration." We are likely to repeat our experiences of World War I, when industry was competing for those who would have preferred to teach if they could have afforded to, financially. Any attempt to make a school budget for this year must take this condition under serious consideration.

FINANCIAL FACTORS

This mention of probable increased cost of instruction brings to mind the fact that everything connected with the conducting of our schools is going to cost more as this war goes along. All school supplies have advanced in cost, since last year at this time, from twenty to twenty five percent. Book firms are daily sending out their revised price lists. In science equipment advances will be very great and many things will be out of the market. In short we must be prepared to face a marked increase in the cost of our schools as long as this war endeavor is in progress.

This is not a condition which can be avoided. We must keep our schools going to prepare our children for life in a greatly changed world. We must in some cases make decided changes to keep pace with events and try to forecast just what is the best preparation for that future.

NEW COURSE OF STUDY

The most important step of the year from the teachers standpoint was the creation of a new course of study. For many years the schools had been following the Baltimore County Course of Study which was excellent, as a basis, but which did not wholly fit local needs.

For a year or more the teachers in this Superintendency Union have been working to produce a course of study which would meet our needs and conditions. We wanted something definite on a printed outline which would show what each teacher hoped to have accomplished at given times each year. This was to the end that there would be some uniformity of progress in the same grades in the various schools, as well as something to guide the new teacher who might have been used to some other system.

The results of this study are now in the hands of every teacher. Each teacher can tell what her class has been taught before it came to her. The high school teacher can see just what foundation should be there upon which to build.

Please note that this is the work of the teachers. It is a cooperative effort with a minimum of "pressure from above." The superintendent did not pass it down "from the throne" with a "do this" order. For this reason I believe that this course of study will, as soon as texts are unified, be of great benefit to the children throughout the district.

THE ARTS

The work in music has shown a definite improvement during the year. In the grades we are gradually gettting on a well organized basis.

Music in the high school which reached its climax in the Spring concert was of an unusually high order. There was a spirit and finish to the work which might well be envied by any town of our class, or of any class. We were truly fortunate in having a gifted young soloist whose voice was equally valuable in the chorus groups. This with the added advantage of an unusually fine pianist as soloist and accompanist gave a finish to a program of great merit.

We believe that Miss Donehue will carry on from where Miss Carabello dropped the work, and that choral music will continue to be one of our sources of pride in our high school.

ATHLETICS

In passing one thought calls for expression.

Any old town will support a championship team. The public gets a great lift out of the reflected glory they get from "our champs". It takes a town of "real sports" to stick by the team, win, lose or draw. There have been lots of empty seats in the stadium these last two years. A successful athletic program involves quite a big expense which can be met either by public support and attendance at games, or by a subsidy voted by the town. Of these the subsidy method is the less desirable. If we cannot get support year in and year out it will be impossible to continue in competitive interscholastic athletics.

There is a rapidly growing body of opinion among thinking people that we might better change our emphasis in physical training from exploitation of a small group of pupils who are already better developed than their fellows, hence their choice as "the team", to a more general endeavor to raise the general average of physical fitness of the whole student body. This would cost little more than our present course and would be of much greater and wider value. Organized athletic games could still be a part of the program but utilized to give pleasure to the participants, rather than a Roman holiday for the public. I fully realize that there are many who consider this rank heresy, but there are just as many who consider it the acme of common sense.

PLANT IMPROVEMENT

It was suggested in the last annual report that more space was needed in the Shawsheen School. It is gratifying to see that this was accomplished during the summer vacation and completed early enough to cause but small interference with the school program for the year.

This addition of two large, well lighted rooms has made it possible to give a much improved service to the children of this section of the town. We are now able to approach more nearly to a single grade to a teacher than was ever possible before. This will mean a greater possibility of giving more consideration to the individual child.

In addition to the academic improvement there has come a greatly improved set-up for the lunch project with its attendant improvement in condition of the physical health of the pupils. Taken with the greatly improved sanitary arrangements made possible by the addition the general hygienic conditions are immeasurably improved.

Other buildings in the town system have been given adequate care so that, as a whole, the general school plant is in excellent condition.

By doing some small maintenance work each year we should be able to keep this condition. In school buildings, as in our homes, it is much more economical to keep property continually in good repair, than it is to restore them when they have been allowed to go for several years until major repairs are necessary.

GENERAL CONDITIONS

I believe that in general our school system is now in better condition than it has been for several years. The rooms are not crowded as they have been at times. We have not had any really serious epidemics to interfere with school work. To be sure we have had more than we like from inroads of child diseases, but these have not seriously interfered with progress. We are gradually getting those children who lost so much time several years ago into line with the requirements of the curriculum. It has been hard for them and for their teachers because for most of them the lost time came in the first grade so that they got a poor start. We could not hold them back because of the pressure of oncoming classes hence they have been working under a handicap during these several important years of their school lives. This is of course one of the great weaknesses of the "mass production" system under which we are organized. When we all come to realize that children are not to be handled on a belt line like the identical products of some machine, but are all slightly, or widely, different, we will find some other way of seeing that each child realizes his own peculiar potentialities.

The greatest step towards improvement in our whole educational endeavor will come when parents fully realize that teachers are trained professionals; that they are educated and trained to their work just as are the doctors and lawyers, in whom we place implicit trust, in their respective fields. Good teachers are specialists in the guidance of children to the attainment of the best for which nature has endowed them in the line of mental health and growth. They are as impersonal in the treatment of their pupils as is the good physician They can diagnose the educational ills of their children and, if permitted, can prescribe the proper remedies. There are numerous cases in my experience where parents have practically ruined their children because family pride would not permit them to accept the judgment of the teachers, and have their children accept the remedial treatment which would have saved them. From the judicial angle teachers are also impartial and fair, opinion to the contrary notwithstanding. If a teacher cannot be this she should not be a teacher. She may like one personality more than another but she may have to give the one liked most the lowest grades in the class, and frequently does.

CONCLUSION

To all of my associates, principals, teachers, supervisors, health officers and janitors I wish to express my deep appreciation for universal cooperation. I feel that we have had a good year in spite of an upset world condition. I bespeak your increased endeavor to meet any conditions which the uncertain future may produce.

Thanks is tendered to the members of the school committee for unfailing help, support and guidance in our mutual endeavor.

Respectfully Submitted,

STEPHEN G. BEAN,

Superintendent of Schools.

January 12, 1942.

REPORT OF THE HEADMASTER

Tewksbury High School—January 1942

To the School Committee of the Town of Tewksbury:

Tewksbury High School began its seventh year in September, 1941, and, during the first term, had an enrollment of 212 students. The enrollment for 1941 represents an increase of approximately five per cent over the original 203 in 1935, although this is a drop from last year's record enrollment.

The number of students who have registered for this year is divided by classes as follows:

Freshmen	64
Sophomores	58
Juniors	51
Seniors	38
Post Graduates	1
Total	212

The division of students according to the courses for which they have registered is as follows:

Commercial	58	College	49
General	60	Manual Training	13
Nurses' Training	15	Teachers' College	5
Home Economics	12		

There were several changes in the high school teaching staff during the summer of 1941. Miss Lenore Meehan was appointed to fill the vacancy left in the Commercial Department by Miss Moran. Mr. David Lynch was appointed to teach manual training and mechanical drawing. Mr. Joseph King has substituted for Mr. McGowan in the Science Department, and Mr. Richard Miller for Mr. Pearson as principal and teacher in Social Studies. Miss Mary Shea was appointed Art Supervisor suceeding Miss Mercier and Miss Harriet Donehue has succeeded Miss Carabello as Supervisor of Music.

In June, 1941, the high school held the sixth annual commencement exercises. The following were presented diplomas by Mrs. May Larrabee, Chairman of the School Board.

Dorothy Bowden
John Cameron
Ida Casciano
Catherine Chandler
Doris Clogston
Irene Cote
Merwyn Darby
Julia Dellofano
Benjamin DiPalma
Warren Fearon
Eleanore Fitzgerald
Irene Fuller
Ella Hogan
Audrey Holmes
Marie Houlihan
Robert Hunter
Vetto Ivas
Helen Jaskola
Theodora Kalem
Sophie Leigakos
Edward Lisay
Mary Lisay
Sadie MacLellan
Nancy McCarthy
Doris McNabb
Joseph Mullen
Margaret Mullin
June Nettel
Arthur Powell
Gladys Robinson
Elaine Roux
Ruth Saunders
Joyce Scammell
Frank Simonitz
Lily Strem
Mary Sullivan
Rita Tremblay
Nancy Trickey
Phyllis Trull
Priscilla Wojtkiewicz

SPECIAL HONORS

Valedictory, Eleanore Fitzgerald Salutatory, John Cameron

The May L. Larrabee Scholarship Awards
JOHN CAMERON, ELEANORE FITZGERALD

The Balfour Award
JOHN CAMERON

The Melvin Rogers Baseball Award
WARREN FEARON

The Melvin Rogers Football Award
WARREN FEARON

The Sons of the American Revolution History Medal
ALICE FARRELL

The Parent-Teachers' Association Medal
NANCY TRICKEY

The Daughters of the American Revolution Good Citizenship Award
JOYCE SCAMMELL

Faculty Award
IRENE COTE

Class President, Eleanore Fitzgerald Class Marshall, Frank Simonitz

JUNIOR USHERS

Alice Farrell, Mary Sheehan, Henry Smith, and Leo Berube

In June of 1941, Tewksbury High School was awarded for the sixth consecutive time the Class A certificate issued by the State Department of Education.

As was the case in 1940, the Glee Clubs of the school made an excellent showing at the Music Festival at Plymouth. Although they had several miles to go, the Freshman-Sophomore Girls' Glee Club and the Junior-Senior Girls' Glee Club made the trip. They were rewarded for their fine performance with A and B ratings.

Another highlight of the extra curricular year was the fine entertainment provided by the Senior Play, "What a Life", produced under the capable direction of Miss Groesbeck.

The great demand for employment and industry affected Tewksbury High School's football team this year. Several of the larger boys were lost to the squad with the result that, from a stand-point of victories, Tewksbury High School did not have a successful season. The loss of the larger boys was compensated for, however, by the opportunity given to smaller and younger students to participate more than would have been possible otherwise. Athletics were not well attended by spectators during the fall of 1941. Hence the income as shown on the appended report was not as large as in some previous years.

The athletic budget for the 1941 season was kept balanced largely due to efforts for rigid economy and the fact that all equipment had been well taken care of and needed few replacements. However, the financing of athletics from game income presents a real problem, especially in years when replacement equipment must be bought in large quantities. It is doubtful with present disturbed conditions of public interest, whether the income from athletics this coming year will be as much as during 1941. Indications have been that it will not be as large.

The athletic teams cooperated in running a huge whist and bridge party to help defray the athletic deficit. The reason for the deficit was a large bill which Lull and Hartford denied had been paid and which the high school had felt for several months was not owing. The bill was finally substantiated and, although due to negligence on the part of Lull and Hartford, entered as it was legally collectable.

Thanks are due to Miss Betty Mulry, who volunteered to coach Field Hockey and to Coach Charles Hazel, who pinch-hit for Mr. McGowan and operated under a limited equipment budget.

I wish to thank the members of the School Committee, Superintendent Bean, and the student body for their cordiality and helpfulness which they have given me.

I wish to reserve a special word of thanks and appreciation for the faculty. All members have been unstinting in their efforts to cooperate with us who are new-comers and in helping us to adjust ourselves to a new school community to the end that Tewksbury High School will continue to maintain its standard as a fine, efficient, educational institution.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD L. MILLER,
Acting Headmaster.

A. A. REPORT TEWKSBURY HIGH SCHOOL
YEAR 1940-1941

RECEIPTS		EXPENSES	
Football	$470.01	Football	$285.07
Basketball	278.11	Basketball	266.94
Baseball	17.32	Baseball	97.46
Field Hockey	17.19	Field Hockey	76.83
Miscellaneous	119.53	Miscellaneous	89.63
Total	$902.16	Total	$815.93
		Balance June 18, 1941	86.23
	$902.16		$902.16

A. A. REPORT TEWKSBURY HIGH SCHOOL
September 1, 1941 to January 1, 1942

Actual Receipts Sept. 1, 1941 to Jan. 1, 1942			$625.15	
Actual Expenses Sept. 1, 1941 to Jan. 1, 1942			347.49	
Balance September 1941 to January 1942				$277.66
RECEIPTS September 1, 1941 to January 1, 1942				
Miscellaneous Receipts		$470.54		
Whist and Bridge Receipts		154.61		
Total			$625.15	
EXPENSES September 1, 1941 to January 1, 1942				
Expenses		347.40		
Lull & Hartford (Outstanding)	$365.85			

Arrow System (Outstanding)	272.13			
Total Outstanding bills September 1, 1941		637.98		
			985.47	
DEFICIT			360.32	
Lull & Hartford Paid by High School A. A. Fund	212.65			212.65
Lull & Hartford Paid by School Appropriation	4.25			
Lull & Hartford to be paid	148.95	Total	425.33	
Arrow System paid Special School Appropriation	272.13			
Total Outstanding bills September 1941	$637.98			
Balance on Hand from Sept. 1, 1941 to Jan. 1, 1942			65.01	65.01
Balance on Hand Sept. 1, 1941 (from school year 1940-41)			86.23	86.23
TOTAL BALANCE ON HAND January 1, 1942			$151.24	$151.24

Outstanding bills to be paid

Gagnon's	$ 11.96
Lull & Hartford (previous outstanding)	148.95
Lull & Hartford (present year)	68.49
Coca Cola	2.62
Sullivan Brothers	10.80
A. Tremblay	.80
K. Chandler	1.10
Total Outstanding Bills Jan. 1942	$244.72

Age-Grade Distribution

October 1, 1941

	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20		T
I	27	51	7	3														88
II	1	27	34	7	2													71
III			21	39	9	3	1											73
IV				19	25	15	4	2	2									67
V				1	24	32	9	4										70
VI						12	37	12	7	2	1							71
VII							15	32	9	10	1							67
VIII								17	32	15	4	3						71
T	28	78	62	69	60	62	66	67	50	27	6	3						578
IX									5	33	14	9						61
X										17	31	12	2					62
XI											12	28	8	2				50
XII												11	20	4	4			39
T									5	50	57	60	30	6	4			212
G.T.	28	78	62	69	60	62	66	67	55	77	63	63	30	6	4			790

TABLE II

Teacher-Grade Distribution

October 1, 1941

TEACHER — GRADE	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI	XII		T
FOSTER SCHOOL														
HOWARD								39						39
LYONS							39							39
FLYNN						39								39
PIPER					37									37
BLAKE				41										41
COLBATH			43											43
CUNNINGHAM		41												41
MELOY	43													42
TOTAL	42	41	43	41	37	39	39	39						321
SHAWSHEEN SCHOOL														
SAMPSON							10	22						32
VON BERGEN						25	12							37
HOLT				14	25									39
MacLELLAN			25	11										36
KATHERINA		25												25
REYNOLDS	41													41
TOTAL	41	25	25	25	25	25	22	22						210
NORTH SCHOOL														
HERSEY					8	7	6	10						31
OGSTON	5	5	5	1										16
TOTAL	5	5	5	1	8	7	6	10						47
HIGH SCHOOL														
MILLER									61	62	50	39		212
TOTAL									61	62	50	39		212
GRAND TOTAL	88	71	73	67	70	71	67	71	61	62	50	39		790

January 7, 1942.

Mr. Stephen G. Bean
Superintendent of Schools
Tewksbury, Mass.

Dear Sir:

Herewith is my report as Supervisor of Music in the Elementary Schools.

The emphasis of the music program in the schools this past year has not deviated from its previous outline of song-singing, tone-quality, and comprehension of music-building and notation; sensing music as a stimulating force having socializing and cultural values, and giving opportunity for delightful expression of the spirit of play and of the imaginative thought of children.

Song-singing: Experience in music itself must precede and accompany all teaching about music so we have much singing of songs.

Tone Quality: is skill in differentiating 'music' from noise and the ability to produce it; our boys and girls "know" good tone quality and strive to produce it.

Understanding Notation and Music-building is something in which they have developed skill, and have come to take pleasure and pride.

Music is a stimulating force which appeals to children; this we have been proving by the fine attitude of the boys and girls toward the subject. To be greeted by shining faces asking, "Are you coming to us today?" or to hear small hands clapping when you appear is proof that "pleasure in music" has been developed. This is the most important of all our objectives. To develop interest in, love for, and enjoyment of music is our chief task.

The social and cultural values have been offered through projects and programs which also gave opportunity for expression to the play spirit and imagination.

1. The Eighth Grades from all the schools were prepared and presented in a program of music at graduation in June.

2. The North School gave a dramatic musical program the first of June entitled, "Our own United States".

3. Foster School closed its year in music with "A Lollypop Music Contest", held in each grade. This proved a very enjoyable experience. The boys and girls asked for another one.

4. The Shawsheen School gave a rather pretentious program of eurythmics and vocal music in the Town Hall in June entitled "American Jubilee". The proceeds were used to purchase two pianos for the school.

5. In all three schools there was a rhythm orchestra in the second, third and fourth grades.

6. Music appreciation was enjoyed for a period of six weeks at the North School.

7. For the Christmas program at Shawsheen School the pupils gathered around the dining tables in the new recreation hall and presented an informal program: "Christmas Carols of Many Lands".

8. The North School presented for a Christmas program "The Christmas Story In Song".

Specific aims and goals were given each teacher in January and general objects were given in September, with a view to developing and keeping each grade on its proper level musically. Assignments are given for each month.

The important thing is that all of us, children and teachers, shall have an awareness of music as a vital experience and shall realize that it is a living, moving, developing influence.

Music does have a strong interest an dplace in the school program because of the splendid cooperation and endeavor of the teachers and the fine spirit of willingness to work on the part of the boys and girls, which I very much appreciate and for which I would like to say "Thank You."

May I express my thanks to you, Mr. Bean, for your interest in the work.

Respectfully submitted.

ALICE L. STURTEVANT,
Supervisor of Music.

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC

To Mr. Stephen G. Bean and Members of the School Committee.

Dear Sirs:

Having had the honor of being appointed Music Supervisor for the Tewksbury High School I take pleasure in submitting my first report. As one of my chief objectives I aim to develop an appreciation and an understanding of the best in music literature. We also try to socialize each student, making him understand the full values of his membership in the musical organization. Also to stimulate students toward a more vital interest in music is of primary importance.

In the girl's chorus we have approximately 90 members and 37 in the boys' chorus. Both groups signed up voluntarily for music training. Each of these classes meet once a week for an hour period. From this group we have a selected mixed chorus of 80 members which rehearse one half hour a week.

Up to the present time we have presented two musical programs for the school. One in observation of Armistice and Thanksgiving Days and the other in observation of Christmas. At this program a recording of Dicken's Christmas Carol was played. The final portion of each period is given over to music appreciation. In this way we have a balanced musical hour.

We are now looking forward to May when we hope to participate in the Massachusetts Festival which is to be held this year at Marblehead Massachusetts.

Starting this year there is to be credit extended to those pupils who wish to come out for orchestra. At present we have 3 violins, 2 trumpets, an accordian and a pianist. From this beginning we hope to stimulate interest along this phase of musical study.

Three months have elapsed since I assumed my new duties and I am looking forward to the months that follow to see the fulfilment of my objectives.

In closing let me extend my sincere appreciation to Mr. Bean and members of the school committee for my appointment.

To Mr. Miller, Mr. Lynch, Mrs. Chandler, Miss Grosbeck and the student body may I express my thanks for their wholehearted interest and helpfulness in the music department.

Respectfully Submitted,

HARRIET G. DONEHUE,
Music Supervisor.

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF ART

To the Superintendent and School Committee of the Town of Tewksbury:

The results obtained from my first few months as Art Supervisor in Tewksbury have been most gratifying. During this time, I have endeavored to establish a "working vocabulary" of drawing—to lay the foundations for later, more elaborate work.

In the Grammar Schools we have taken the principles of Design, Representation and Construction and have presented them by applying them to seasonal problems which held the interest of the children. Once the children have become familiar with this vocabulary—each class will be assigned a unit of work, corelated with some phase of school activity and to which each member of the group will make some definite contribution. These projects will be the main feature of the exhibit we plan to have in June.

In the High School we have studied the principles of Design and Color, and are now working on freehand sketching, to which various techniques will be applied. As proof of the work accomplished each member of this group will present a large project, the subject and medium of which will be his own choosing. I have great hopes for this group—and expect to hear much from some of them in the art field after graduation.

Although I've been here but a short time I feel that much progress has been made, none of which would be at all possible without the splendid spirit and wholehearted co-operation of the Superintendent, Principals and the entire teaching staff, for which I am most grateful.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY SHEA,

Supervisor of Art.

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN'S REPORT

To the School Committee of the Town of Tewksbury:

As school physician I make the following report:

During the past year all school children were examined and defects recorded. The athletic teams at the High School have also been examined before being allowed in competition. The attendance has been affected rather disastrously by the epidemic of mumps, but the general condition of the children has been exceptionally good. In my opinion the hot luncheons given our children is one of the best expenditures for health that is made. Our diphtheria clinic which we have carried on for several years has resolved itself into a clinic of mostly preschool cases, a very large percent of the children in school have been protected. Our school nurse, Miss Haines has done a most thorough and conscientious work and has been of great assistance because of her contacts to both the Health and Welfare departments.

HERBERT M. LARRABEE, M. D.,

School Physician.

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

Mr. Stephen Bean,
Supt. of Schools,
Tewksbury, Mass.

Dear Sir:

We are endeavoring through the printed page and an organized series of education to teach Health more in a preventive than a corrective way. We have been able to add to our textbooks three Health Series of the very latest methods in Health Teaching 1st to 8th grades inclusive. We feel this is the age group where habits are firmly fixed and if we can get proper health material across to the child here, much has been accomplished in making better health in later years.

We have reached our goal among the school age group in the treatment of Toxin-Anti-Toxin against Diphtheria. Practically every child attending the 1941 Clinic was of pre-school age. Many parents continue to bring the little ones in. We are still making many corrections of eye and throat defects.

The hot lunch projects have been of untold value—63,647 hot lunches were served the children in 1941. This has taken the place of the hot cocoa and lunch which the majority of the children had to carry because of transportation. The increase in weight and the general improvement of the child has made this project almost indispensable. In close cooperation with the Board of Health which has necessitated a great number of home calls the benefits and effects have been worth all this effort. This last draft has proven that there is still much to be done in the field of Health, and I believe this to be one of the ways to help remedy this condition. May these projects which we have all worked so hard to get and which have been of such tremendous value to the child never be discontinued.

We have had two epidemics this year—one of Whooping Cough and one of Mumps. These have entailed a great deal of work mainly because of the fact that this town has been so free from contagion over such a long period of years, that it has not only affected the elementary grades but the high school and some of the parents as well.

With the continued cooperation that we have had from all interested sources, we will make this year another one of advancement. The nurse appreciates everything that has been done by every organization and every individual.

Respectfully submitted,

EDITH E. HAINES, R. N.,
School Nurse.

ROSTER OF SCHOOL EMPLOYEES

Class	Name	School or Dept.	Address
Act. Prin.	Richard Miller	High	Tewksbury
Teachers	Kathryn Chandler	High	Tewksbury
	Evelyn Dutton	High	Dracut
	Marjorie Scoboria	High	Chelmsford
	Catherine Maguire	High	Lowell
	Doris Groesbeck	High	Lawrence
	David Lynch	High	Lawrence
	Leonore C. Meehan	High	Lawrence
	Elizabeth Mulry	High	Tewksbury
Principal	Ethelyn Howard	Foster 8	Tewksbury
	Ruth Lyons	Foster 7	Lowell
	Elizabeth Flynn	Foster 6	Chelmsford
	Marion Piper	Foster 5	Lowell
	Doris Blake	Foster 4	Lowell
	Winifred Colbath	Foster 3	Tewksbury
	Virginia Cunningham	Foster 2	Lowell
	Catherine L. Meloy	Foster 1 No.	Tewksbury
Principal	James Sampson	Shaw. 8	Reading
	Lora Von Bergen	Shaw. 6 & 7	Wollaston
	Gertrude Holt	Shaw. 5	Lawrence
	Josephine MacLellan	Shaw. 4 & 3	Tewksbury
	Mary Katherina	Shaw. 2	Tewksbury
	Elizabeth Reynolds	Shaw. 1	Lowell
Principal	Eva L. Hersey	North 5 to 8 No.	Tewksbury
	Dorothy Ogston	North 1 to 4	Tewksbury
Superv.	Mary Shea	Art Supervisor	Salem
	Harriet Donehue	Music High	Lowell
	Alice Sturtevant	Music Elem.	Tewksbury
Health	Herbert M. Larrabee	Physician	Tewksbury
	Edith Haines	Nurse	Tewksbury
Janitors	Harry Wiley	High	Tewksbury
	Walter Lavelle	Foster	Tewksbury
	George Tolstrup	Shaw. So.	Tewksbury
	Irving Bailey	North No.	Tewksbury
Trans.	Anthony Furtado, Jr.		Tewksbury
	Omer Blanchard		Tewksbury
	Fred H. Garlick		Tewksbury
Supt.	Stephen G. Bean		Wilmington

SCHOOL CALENDAR, 1942

January 5, 1941 to February 28, 1942

Mid-Winter Vacation

March 9, 1942 to May 2, 1942

Spring Vacation

May 2, 1942 to June 20, 1942

Summer Vacation

September 9, 1942 to December 19, 1942

Christmas Vacation

Schools open December 28, 1942

HOLIDAYS

February 22

Good Friday

April 19

May 30

October 12

November 11

Thanksgiving

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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE

Town of Tewksbury

For the Year Ending December 31,

1942

PRESS OF
BALFE SERVICE CO.
Lowell, Mass.

Town of Tewksbury

LIST OF TOWN OFFICERS—1942

MODERATOR

MELVIN G. ROGERS

SELECTMEN

IRVING F. FRENCH, Chairman

BERNARD H. GREENE DUNCAN J. CAMERON

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

DUNCAN J. CAMERON, Chairman

IRVING F. FRENCH BERNARD H. GREENE

BOARD OF HEALTH

BERNARD H. GREENE, Chairman

DUNCAN J. CAMERON IRVING F. FRENCH

ASSESSORS

BUZZELL KING, Chairman

AUSTIN F. FRENCH PERCY L. HAINES

TOWN CLERK

ALICE A. PIKE

TREASURER

GEORGE A. MARSHALL

COLLECTOR OF TAXES

HARRY C. DAWSON

TOWN AUDITOR

ROBERT E. GAY

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

MAY L. LARRABEE, Chairman

RALPH S. BATTLES J. HARPER GALE

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

STEPHEN G. BEANE

TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

HARRY PRIESTLY, Chairman

RUTH SMITH HAROLD J. PATTEN

MARIAN FRENCH EDGAR SMITH

DOROTHY FITZGERALD

LIBRARIAN

ABBIE M. BLAISDELL

ROAD COMMISSIONERS

THOMAS P. SAWYER, Chairman

CHESTER M. ROPER LOUIS O. BERUBE

SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

RICHARD F. O'NEILL

TREE WARDEN

HARRIS M. BRIGGS

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

HERBERT A. FAIRBROTHER, Chairman

ALICE A. PIKE, Clerk

WILLIAM H. BENNETT GEORGE J. McCOY

CONSTABLES

CYRIL L. BARKER LAUCHIE McPHAIL

EARL A. LYE

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

CHARLES W. FENERTY

WEIGHERS

GEORGE B. TANNER

GEORGE McFAYDEN GEORGE K. JAMES

SURVEYOR OF LUMBER

GEORGE K. JAMES

MEASURER OF WOOD

GEORGE K. JAMES

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

VICTOR N. CLUFF

FIELD DRIVER AND POUND KEEPER

JESSE KEMP

FENCE VIEWERS

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

POLICE DEPARTMENT

CYRIL L. BARKER, Chief

C. ABBOTT BATTLES
GEORGE A. GALE
JOHN GRANEY
GEORGE M. HAZEL
JEREMIAH J. HOULIHAN
ARTHUR La FLUER
LAUCHIE McPHAIL
JAMES MANLEY
ROSS E. SARGENT
DANIEL J. SHEEHAN
DANIEL D. STERLING
JOSEPH A. VIVIER

AGENT BOARD OF HEALTH

HERBERT M. LARRABEE, M. D.

UNDERTAKER AND AGENT FOR BURIAL INDIGENT SOLDIERS

H. LOUIS FARMER, JR.
(Reg. Embalmer)

FOREST FIRE WARDEN

ALDEN S. HAINES

DEPUTY FOREST FIRE WARDENS

WILLIAM I. BAILEY JOHN SMITH, JR.

INSPECTOR OF MEAT AND PROVISIONS

CHARLES W. FENERTY

LOCAL AGENT FOR SUPPRESSION OF BROWN TAIL AND GYPSY MOTHS

HARRIS M. BRIGGS

PARK COMMISSIONERS

THOMAS C. McCAUSLAND

HARRIS M. BRIGGS WALTER ROBERTS

CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

ALDEN S. HAINES

APPRAISERS

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

JANITOR OF TOWN HALL

GEORGE K. JAMES

FINANCE COMMITTEE

(Term expires 1944)

SAMUEL CROWN — WINTHROP S. BEANE

ELMER OLSON — JOHN H. KELLEY

(Term expires 1943)

WALTER R. ACKLES — KARL HEIDENRICH

WILLIAM H. BENNETT — ALLEN C. WILSON

(Term expires 1942)

PHILIP M. BATTLES — HARRY P. NASH, Sec.

ALBERT GILLISSEN — MARK ROPER

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

FREDERICK M. CARTER

EDWIN W. OSTERMAN — FRANKLIN P. SPAULDING

DOG OFFICER

GERALD J. FINNERAN

CARETAKER OF SOLDIERS' LOT

WINTHROP S. JONES

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WARRANT FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Middlesex, ss:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury in said County:

Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town Affairs, to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury on Wednesday, February 4, 1942, at ten o'clock A. M., to act on the following articles:

ART. 1. To choose all necessary Town Officers, to choose by ballot a Moderator, Town Clerk, three Selectmen, three members of the Board of Public Welfare, three members of the Board of Health, a Town Treasurer, an Auditor, a Collector of Taxes, a Tree Warden and three Constables, all to serve one year; one Highway Commissioner to serve three years; one member of the School Committee to serve three years, two Trustees of the Public Library to serve three years; one Park Commissioner to serve three years; one Assessor to serve three years; one Commissioner of Trust Fund to serve three years.

The polls for the election of Town Officers to be opened at ten o'clock A. M. and to be closed at 8 P. M.

And you are also hereby further required and directed to notify and warn the said inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, who are qualified to vote on elections and Town affairs, therein to assemble subsequently and meet in Town Meeting at the Town Hall in said Town of Tewksbury on Wednesday, February 11, 1942, at seven-thirty o'clock P. M., then and there to act on the following articles:

ART. 2. To hear reports of Town Officers and Committees and act thereon.

ART. 3. To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise by taxation to defray necessary expenses for the current year, and make appropriations for the same.

ART. 4. To see if the Town will vote the money arising from licensing dogs, for the ensuing year to aid in support of the Public Library.

ART. 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1942, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

VOTED: That the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1942 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ART. 6. To see what regulations the Town will make for the possession, management and sale of land sold for unpaid taxes and for the assignment of Tax Titles not inconsistent with law or with the right of redemption as provided by Sec. 52 of Chap. 60 of the General Laws as amended by Sec. 3 of Chapter 126 of the Acts of 1927, and to see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for the enforcement of such rules and regulations.

ART. 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $350.00 for the proper observance of Memorial Day, and appoint a committee to expend the money. Said committee to be taken from members of Spanish War Veterans, American Legion, or Sons of Veterans.

ART. 8. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to institute suits on behalf of the Town or defend any suits that are, or may be brought against the Town, and to sign any contracts or agreements in behalf of the Town.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum sufficient to pay the County of Middlesex, as required by law, the Town's share of the net cost of the care, maintenance, and repair of the Middlesex County Tuberculosis Hospital, as assessed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 111 of the General Laws and Acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto including Chapter 400, Section 25 G (6) (a) of the Acts of 1936 or take any action in relation thereto.

ART. 10. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell, after first giving notice of the time and place of sale by posting such notice of sale in some convenient and public place in the town fourteen days at least before the sale, property taken by the town under tax title procedure provided that the selectmen or whomsoever they may authorize to hold such public auction may reject any bid which they deem inadequate, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Board of Selectmen to sell any parcel or parcels of land acquired by the Town through Tax Title foreclosure proceedings whose Tax Title value is less than $40.00, for whatever sum it may be in their judgment to the best interest of the Town, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 12. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen and the Treasurer to foreclose either through the Land Court or by affidavit of the Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation, any Tax Title held by the Town for more than two years, and to see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate therefor or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 13. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Road Machinery Fund and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing, repairing and operating road machinery; to which fund shall be accredited—in addition to the sum appropriated——such sums as may be allotted for the use of town-owned highway equipment operated for highway purposes in conjunction with the State and County, or take any other action thereto.

ART. 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2000. for the Maintenance of Chapter 90, Highways: said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 15. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of $148.95 to pay the balance due Lull and Hartford, Inc. for high school athletic equipment; also the sum of $20.26 to pay the bill of Middlesex Supply Co. for hardware, etc.

ART. 16. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate to be used in conjunction with Federal Funds for Works Projects Administration expenses for the year 1942, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 17. To see if the Town will rescind the vote taken under Article 26, in the 1938 warrant, whereby the Town voted to instruct the town clerk to include a copy of minutes of all meetings held during the current year in the annual report of town officers of Tewksbury.

ART. 18. To see if the Town will vote to install two lights on Woburn St., make appropriation for same, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 19. To see if the Town will vote to install one light on Fiske St., near the residence of C. F. Fitzgerald, make appropriation for same, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 20. To see if the Town will vote to place one street light on Cherry Road, make appropriation for same, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 21. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to improve the street lighting between Chandler St. and Saint William's Church; or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 22. To see if the Town will vote to install a street light in front of the residence of Herbert Pillsbury on Pleasant Street, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 23. To see if the Town will vote to place one light at the corner of School and Pond Streets, and one light at the junction of Parker and Green Streets, make appropriation for same, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 24. To see if the Town will change the membership of the Finance Committee by amending a vote of the annual town meeting on February 17, 1921, creating this committee, to read as follows:

At the annual meeting and before the final adjournment thereof there shall be appointed by the Moderator four members of a Finance Committee consisting of twelve members, none of whom shall be an officer of, or a member of, any board of the Town. The present members of the Finance Committee who are not members of the Selectmen, Road Commissioners, and School Board shall serve through the terms for which they were appointed or chosen. As the term of each member of the committee expires, the Moderator shall hereafter appoint some person for the succeeding term to serve three years. Vacancies shall be filled by the remaining members of the Committee.

The Finance Committee shall meet and organize by the election of a chairman and a clerk. When the warrant for the town meeting contains any article or articles under which an appropriation or expenditure of money, or the disposition of any property of the Town, may be made, the Finance Committee shall consider said articles after giving one or more public hearings thereon, and shall report in print its recommendations to the said town meeting. Two members of this committee shall be appointed from each of the following sections, North, South, East, West, Centre, and Wamesit.

ART. 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $50.00 in support of the Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture, through the Middlesex County Extension Service, and elect a director. Said money to be spent under the direction of the local director, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 26. To see if the Town will vote that all Motor Vehicles, owned by the Town of Tewksbury, shall be lettered with the name of Department to which the vehicle belongs, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 27. To see if the Town will vote to choose by ballot at the Annual Town Meeting in February, 1943, three Selectmen, three members of the Board of Public Welfare, and three members of the Board of Health, one to serve three years, one to serve two years, and one to serve one year, and each succeeding year to choose by ballot one Selectman, one member of the Board of Public Welfare, and one member of the Board of Health, to serve for the period of three years or to take any action relative to same.

ART. 28 To see if the Town will vote that the Highway Department, cut all brush on the highways of Tewksbury, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 29. To see if the Town will vote to abolish the Chief of Police, and the Board of Selectmen to appoint a Captain temporarily, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 30. To see if the Town will vote that all Boards shall notify, in writing, of all meetings and no sealed bids shall be opened until all members are present, or take any other action on same.

ART. 31. To see if the Town will vote to increase the wages of the Highway Dept. 10 per cent or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 32. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to construct a bituminous concrete sidewalk along Main St. from Chandler St. to Saint William's Church or to some point beyond; or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 33. To see if the Town will vote to open the shower-baths at the stadium during the summer months for the use of the citizens, and that the selectmen set a fee for the use thereof, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 34. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue street lights on Maple, Beach and Walnut Streets, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 35. To see if the Town will vote to place two stop signs; one at the junction of Whipple and Coolidge, and one at the junction of Whipple and Heath St., appropriate for same, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 36. To see what sum of money be raised and appropriated for necessary expenses of the Civilian Defense committee or take any other action thereto.

ART. 37. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $200 for clerical services in the office of the Town Treasurer for the year of 1942 or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 38. To see if the Town will vote to widen Marston Street from Chapman Road to Rogers Street, make appropriation for same or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 39. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 500 of the Acts of 1941, which act will allow the City of Lowell to enter the Town of Tewksbury for the purpose of laying water pipes etc., and which project will not entail said Town of Tewksbury or residents of the town any monetary expense.

ART. 40. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding $350 for repairs to and maintenance of the athletic field and structures thereon at the high school and for the maintenance of athletics at the high school.

ART. 41. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for a reserve fund under Section 6 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws or take any other action thereto.

ART. 42. To raise and appropriate the sum of $125.00 for maintainence of the Legion Quarters.

ART. 43. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,500.00 to purchase a 2 1-2 ton truck chassis and cab, 500 gallon front end pump, material, labor and equipment for same for the fire department, or take any action thereto.

ART. 44. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,200.00 to purchase 2 1-2 inch, 1 1-2 inch and 1 1-8 inch hose, also 3-4 inch booster hose, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 45. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $300.00 for purchase and installation of power takeoff and a rotary pump for No. 4 Truck or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 46. To see if the Town will vote to install one siren in North Tewksbury and one in South Tewksbury, with proper wiring and connections, and make appropriation for same, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 47. To see if the Town will authorize the Town Treasurer on behalf of the Town to convey to Mary J. Smith the land in Tewksbury described as lot 65 on "Plan of Woodland Park, Wilmington and Tewksbury, belonging to Cora R. Clatur," June 1916, recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book of Plans 39, Plan 16.

ART. 48. To see if the Town will accept Cherry Road leading to Samuel Feinstein Estate.

ART. 49. To see if the Town will instruct the Board of Selectmen to remove the W. P. A. sponsor's agent.

Given under our hands, this 19th day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and forty-two.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and leave one hundred copies for the use of the citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, 8 days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid:—

Given under our hands, this 14th day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and forty-two.

IRVING F. FRENCH,
BERNARD H. GREENE,
DUNCAN J. CAMERON,
} Selectmen of Tewksbury.

A true copy attest:

CYRIL L BARKER

Constable of Tewksbury

Saturday, January 24, 1942

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex ss.

February 4, 1942

I have served the within Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and by leaving 100 copies for the use of the Citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, eight days at least and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said Meeting.

CYRIL L. BARKER
Constable of Tewksbury

Filed: February 4, 1942, 10 o'clock A. M.

A true copy. Attest:

H. LOUIS FARMER, JR.
Town Clerk.

ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION

Tewksbury, Massachusetts, February 4, 1942

Middlesex ss

At a meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town Affairs, held, this day, at the Town Hall, the following business was transacted. The Warrant was read by the presiding Election Officer, Irving F. French. Mr. French then administered the oath of office to the following tellers: Jesse J. French, William A. Smith, William I. Bailey, Anna E. McPhillips, and Walter E. Goodwin. The Town Clerk was given a receipt for 1710 ballots and the Register showed 0000, the check lists were in order and the Polls were officially opened at ten (10) o'clock A.M. The Polls were officially closed at eight (8) o'clock P.M., with the Register showing 886. The Register failed to register one ballot when two ballots were presented at once. The Check Lists showed eight hundred eighty-seven names checked as voted, which checked with the eight hundred eighty-seven ballots counted. Following is the result of the official count:

Town Clerk for One Year

J. Harper Gale had	143	votes	
Hildreth Harman had	60	"	
James C. Marshall had	310	"	
Alice A. Pike had	357	"	(elected and sworn)
Blanks	17		

Selectmen for One Year

Duncan J. Cameron had	642	votes	(elected and sworn)
Irving F. French had	682	"	(elected and sworn)
Bernard H. Greene had	673	"	(elected and sworn)
Joseph Aubut had	1	"	
Fred Goodwin had	1	"	
Howard King had	1	"	
Blanks	661		

Board of Public Welfare for One Year

Duncan J. Cameron had	625	votes	(elected and sworn)
Irving F. French had	667	"	(elected and sworn)
Bernard H. Greene had	659	"	(elected and sworn)
Joseph Aubut had	1	"	
Howard King had	1	"	
Blanks	708		

Board of Health for One Year

Duncan J. Cameron had	622	votes (elected and sworn)
Irving F. French had	668	" (elected and sworn)
Bernard H. Greene had	650	" (elected and sworn)
Joseph Aubut had	1	"
Howard King had	1	"
Blanks	721	

Treasurer for One Year

George A. Marshall had	773	" (elected and sworn)
Blanks	114	

Auditor for One Year

Robert E. Gay had	711	votes (elected and sworn)
Mrs. Holmes had	1	"
Blanks	175	

Moderator for One Year

Melvin G. Rogers had	721	votes (elected and sworn)
Geo. Hill had	1	"
Joe Louis had	1	"
Blanks	164	

Collector of Taxes for One Year

Harry C. Dawson had	577	votes (elected and sworn)
Paul J. McCoy had	268	"
Blanks	42	

Tree Warden for One Year

Harris M. Briggs had	720	votes (elected and sworn)
Ira Brown had	1	"
Nelson Brown had	1	"
Ernest Dewing had	1	"
George Hood had	1	"
Joe Roux had	1	"
Geo. Gale had	1	"
William Shanley had	1	"
Blanks	160	

Trust Fund Commissioner for Three Years

Louis H. Farmer, Jr. had	15	votes (elected and sworn)
Melvin Rogers had	2	"
P. M. Battles had	1	"
Robert Gay had	1	"
Franklin Spaulding had	1	"
Samuel Crown had	1	"
Robert O'Brien had	2	"
E. W. Osterman had	2	"
Austin French had	1	"
Fred Carter had	1	"
Alice Pike had	1	"
Duncan J. Cameron had	1	"
Geo. Hazel had	1	"
Blanks	857	

Constables for One Year

James Marshall had	3	votes
George Hazel had	7	"
Earl Lye had	16	" (elected and sworn)
Cyril L. Barker had	29	" (elected and sworn)
Daniel Sterling had	13	"
Lauchie McPhail had	21	"
John T. Gale had	5	"
Fred Garlick had	1	"
Chester Burgess had	6	"
Clarence E. Compton had	1	"
William Sigman had	1	"
Percy L. Haines had	9	"
Thomas J. Manley had	2	"
George Dutch had	1	"
Abbott Battles had	3	"
Ross Sargent had	2	"
C. Hazel had	2	"
Harris M. Briggs had	1	"
M. McLoughlin had	2	"
Ed. Walsh had	1	"
Robert O'Brien had	1	"
Ernest Dewing had	1	"
Harold Carson had	1	"
Arthur Fairgrieve had	1	"
Fred Briggs had	1	"
Martha Battles had	2	"
William Smith had	1	"

Constables for One Year, Continued

Irving French had	1	"
George Marshall had	1	"
Henry Morris had	1	"
Winthrop Jones had	2	"
H. N. Wright had	1	"
Geo. S. Hopkins had	1	"
Leon Fisher had	1	"
John Sullivan had	1	"
Alexander Suprenant had	6	"
Victor Cluff had	1	"
Bub Manley had	1	"
Mrs. Duncan Cameron had	1	"
Harper Gale had	1	"
Richmond Gale had	1	"
Louis Farmer had	1	"
Mark Roper had	1	"
Blanks	2512	

Highway Commissioner for Three Years

Chester M. Roper had	506	votes (elected and sworn)
Edward J. Walsh had	323	"
Blanks	58	

School Committee for Three Years

Ralph S. Battles had	665	votes (elected and sworn)
Randolph Fitzgerald had	1	" (elected and sworn)
Blanks	221	

Trustees Public Library for Three Years

Dorothy Fitzgerald had	601	votes (elected and sworn)
Harold J. Patten had	647	" (elected and sworn)
Thomas Flynn had	1	"
Blanks	525	

Park Commissioner for Three Years

Harris M. Briggs had	709	votes (elected and sworn)
Henry Morris had	1	"
Geo. Tolstrup had	1	"
Blanks	176	

Assessor for Three Years

Percy L. Haines had.....723 votes (elected and sworn)
Joe Roux had..... 1 "
Blanks 163

Meeting adjourned at ten fifty-two (10.52) o'clock P. M.

A true Record.

Attest: H. LOUIS FARMER, JR.

Town Clerk of Tewksbury.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Town Hall, Tewksbury, Massachusetts

February 11, 1942

At a Meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town Affairs, held this day, at the Town Hall, Tewksbury, Massachusetts, the following business was transacted:—

The Meeting was called to order by Moderator Melvin G. Rogers at seven thirty o'clock P. M. Check list used and a necessary quorum was found to be present. Rev. Fr. Curtin, O.M.I., pastor of Saint William's Church, Tewksbury, Mass., offered prayer.

ART. 1. (Acted on at the Meeting held February 4, 1942)

ART. 2. All reports of Town Officers and Committees accepted.

ART. 3. VOTED: To lay on the table.

ART. 4. VOTED: That money arising from the licensing of dogs, for the ensuing year, be used in support of the Library.

ART. 5. VOTED: To authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1942, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ART. 6. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone.

ART. 7. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $350.00 for proper observance of Memorial Day. Committee to be appointed by the Moderator.

ART. 8. VOTED: That the selectmen be and hereby are authorized to institute suits on behalf of the Town or defend any suits that are, or may be brought against the Town, and to sign any contracts or agreements in behalf of the Town.

ART. 9. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $1,208.01 for the purposes outlined in this Article.

ART. 10. VOTED: That the selectmen be and hereby are authorized to sell, after first giving notice of the time and place of sale by posting such notice of sale in some convenient and public place in the Town fourteen days at least before the sale, property taken by the Town under tax title procedure provided that the selectmen or whomsoever they may authorize to hold such public auction may reject any bid they may deem inadequate.

ART. 11. VOTED: To authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the selectmen to sell any parcel or parcels of land acquired by the Town through Tax Title foreclosure proceedings whose Tax Title value is less than $40.00, for whatever sum it may be in their judgment to the best interest of the Town.

ART. 12. VOTED: To authorize the Board of Selectmen and the Treasurer to foreclose either through the Land Court or by affidavit of the Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation, any Tax Title held by the Town for more than two years, and to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 therefor.

ART. 13. VOTED: That the Town appropriate the sum of $651.13, being the balance at present in the Highway Machinery Fund, together with all sums allotted for the use of road machinery operated in conjunction with the State and County, and that the Highway Commissioners be and hereby are authorized to purchase from such fund, whenever in their judgment it becomes necessary, whatever new equipment or trucks the Highway Department may need; and to pay whatever costs of repairs and maintenance that may be incurred in the usual operations of the Highway Department, provided that at the time of the above purchases there shall be in said Highway Machinery Fund, money sufficient to pay for the articles so purchased.

ART. 14. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $2,000.00 for the maintenance of Chapter 90 highways; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose.

ART. 15. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $148.95 to pay the balance due Lull and Hartford, Inc. for high school athletic equipment; also the sum of $20.26 to pay the bill of Middlesex Supply Co. for hardware, etc. This was a unanimous vote.

ART. 16. VOTED: To raise $5000.00 by taxation and that $1,639.83 be carried from unexpended balance to be used in conjunction with Federal Funds for Works Projects Administration expenses for the year 1942. Not less than $2,340 of this amount to be expended for school lunch project.

ART. 17. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone.

ART. 18. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $36.00 for the purpose outlined in this Article.

ART. 19. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $18.00 for the purpose outlined in this Article.

ART. 20. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone.

ART. 21. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $54.00 for the purpose outlined in this article.

Motion was made to take up Article 39 at this time and this motion prevailed.

ART. 39. VOTED: To accept Chapter 500 of the Acts of 1941, which act will allow the City of Lowell to enter the Town of Tewksbury for the purpose of laying water pipes, etc., and which project will not entail said Town of Tewksbury or residents of the Town any monetary expense.

ART. 22. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $18.00 for the purpose outlined in this article.

ART. 23. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $36.00 for the purpose of placing one light at corner of School and Park Sts. and one light at the corner of Parker and Green Sts.

ART. 24. VOTED: To adopt this Article.

ART. 25. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $50.00 in support of the Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture, through the Middlesex County Extension Service. Said money to be spent under the direction of Mrs. Mary Hodgson who was appointed local director by the Moderator.

ART. 26. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone.

ART. 27. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone.

ART. 28. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone.

ART. 29. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone.

ART. 30. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone.

ART. 31. VOTED: To refer matter of wage increase in Highway Dept. to those in charge of this Department.

ART. 32. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $1000.00 to construct a bituminous concrete sidewalk along Main Street from Chandler Street to Saint William's Church or to some point beyond. This work is to be done by the Road Commissioners.

ART. 33. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone.

ART. 34. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone.

ART. 35. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone.

ART. 36. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $700.00 for necessary expenses of the Civilian Defense Committee, the expenditure to be under the jurisdiction of the Selectmen.

ART. 37. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $200.00 for clerical services in the office of the Town Treasurer for the year 1942.

ART. 38. VOTED: That widening Marston Street from Chapman Road to Rogers Street be referred to the Highway Department.

ART. 40. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $175.00 for repairs to and maintenance of the athletic field and structures thereon at the High School, and $175.00 for maintenance of Athletics at the High School.

ART. 41. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $5000.00 for a reserve fund under Section 6 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws.

ART. 42. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone.

ART. 43. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $5,500.00 to purchase a 2½ ton truck chassis and cab, 500 gallon front end pump, material, labor and equipment for same for the Fire Department. This truck to be used in South Tewksbury.

ART. 44. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $800.00 to purchase 2½" hose, 1½" hose and 1⅛" hose. Also ¾" booster hose.

ART. 45. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone.

ART. 46. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone.

ART. 47. VOTED: To authorize the Town Treasurer on behalf of the Town to convey to Mary J. Smith the land in Tewksbury described as lot 65 on "Plan of Woodland Park, Wilmington and Tewksbury, belonging to Cora R. Clatur, June 1916 recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book of Plans 39, Plan 16, for the sum of $1.00.

ART. 48. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone.

ART. 49. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone.
VOTED: To take Article 3 from the table and act thereon.

ART. 3. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the following sums:

Street Lighting	$ 6,200.00
Incidentals	1,000.00
Highways	16,000.00
Schools	60,000.00
Library (Dog Tax)	1,300.00
Police	10,141.00
Appropriation for 2 additional men only.	
Stationery and Printing	1,200.00
Board of Health	3,500.00
Park Commission	250.00
Tree Warden	1,500.00
Fire Department	5,000.00
No appropriation for permanent men.	
Department of Public Welfare	10,000.00
Aid to Dependent Children	4,500.00
(Plus Federal Grants)	

Bureau of Old Age Assistance (Plus Federal Grants)	13,000.00
Town Hall	3,500.00
Assessors	3,000.00
Vocational Schools	1,500.00
Inspection of Meat and Animals	700.00
Aid, State and Military	2,000.00
Interest on Loans	800.00
Collection of Taxes	1,000.00
Municipal Insurance	1,500.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	225.00
Dog Officer	200.00
Maintenance, Legion Headquarters	125.00
Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths	1,500.00
Board of Registrars	750.00
Total	$150,391.00

Auditor	$ 700.00
Town Clerk (exclusive of town fees)	750.00
Tax Collector	1,850.00
Selectmen	1,100.00
Road Commissioners	400.00
School Committee	225.00
Election Officers	110.00
Treasurer	1,500.00

Meeting adjourned at 11 P. M.

A true record.

Attest: ALICE A. PIKE,
Town Clerk.

TOWN WARRANT FOR STATE PRIMARY

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Middlesex ss.:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury in said County:

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Primaries to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury.

ON TUESDAY, THE 15TH OF SEPTEMBER, 1942,

at twelve o'clock noon, to act on the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following Offices:

GOVERNOR .....for this Commonwealth
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.....for this Commonwealth
SECRETARY of the Commonwealth.....for this Commonwealth
TREASURER AND RECEIVER GENERAL.....for this Commonwealth
AUDITOR of the Commonwealth.....for this Commonwealth
ATTORNEY GENERAL.....for this Commonwealth
SENATOR IN CONGRESS.....for this Commonwealth
COUNCILLOR .....for 6th Councillor District
REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS.....for 5th Congressional District
SENATOR .....for 7th Middlesex Senatorial District
REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT
for 19th Representative District
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.....for Middlesex County
REGISTER OF PROBATE AND INSOLVENCY for Middlesex County
COUNTY COMMISSIONER—except Nantucket and Suffolk Cy.
for Middlesex County
COUNTY TREASURER—except Nantucket and Suffolk Cy.
for Middlesex County

The Polls will be open from 12 o'clock noon until 8 P. M.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices and leave one hundred copies for the use of the Citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, 8 days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said Meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid:

Given under our hands this 5th day of September A. D. 1942.

IRVING F. FRENCH
BERNARD H. GREENE
DUNCAN J. CAMERON

Selectmen of Tewksbury

A true copy. Attest:

CYRIL L. BARKER, Constable.

Saturday, Sept. 5, 1942.
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Middlesex ss.: Tewksbury, Mass., Sept. 15, 1942.

I have served the within warrant by posting up Attested copies thereof one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and by leaving 100 copies for the use of the Citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, eight days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said meeting.

CYRIL L. BARKER,
Constable of Tewksbury

A true copy. Attest:
ALICE A. PIKE, Town Clerk.

STATE PRIMARY

Commonwealth of Massachusetts September 15, 1942.
Middlesex ss:

At a meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in State Primaries, held this day in the Town Hall, the following business was transacted. Polls opened at noon (12 o'clock) with William A. Smith, Jesse J. French, Anna E. McPhillips, and Thomas F. Sullivan as tellers. Register showed 0000. Polls closed at 8 P. M. with register showing 164 which checked with the voting list. Following is the result of the count.

REPUBLICAN PARTY

GOVERNOR

Leverett Saltonstall	113
Blanks	8

LT. GOVERNOR

Horace T. Cahill	117
Blanks	4

SECRETARY

Frederick W. Cook	117
Blanks	4

TREASURER

Lawrence Curtis	49
Edgar A. French	16
Sybil H. Holmes	23
Richard E. Johnston	9
Wallace E. Stearns	6
Blanks	18

AUDITOR

Russell A. Wood	113
Blanks	8

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Robert T. Bushnell	117
Blanks	4

SENATOR IN CONGRESS

Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr.	106
Courtenay Crocker	4
Blanks	11

CONGRESSMAN 5th Dist.

Edith Nourse Rogers	116
Harry L. Caldwell	5
Blanks	0

COUNCILLOR 6th Dist.

William G. Andrew	52
Ward Cramer	10
Theodore P. Hollis	32
Blanks	27

SENATOR 7th Mdsx. Dist.

Arthur W. Coolidge	107
Blanks	14

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. 19th Mdsx. Dist.

Sam G. Pillsbury	95
Arthur R. Hallenborg	16
Blanks	10

DISTRICT ATTORNEY Northern Dist.

Robert F. Bradford	117
Blanks	4

REGISTER OF PROBATE AND INSOLVENCY Mdsx. Cy.

Loring P. Jordan	114
Blanks	7

COUNTY COMMISSIONER Mdsx. Cy.

Charles C. Warren	87
Robert H. Adams	21
Francis D. Collins	12
Blanks	1

COUNTY TREASURER Mdsx. Cy.

Charles P. Howard	106
Blanks	15

DEMOCRATIC PARTY

GOVERNOR

Francis E. Kelly	14
Roger L. Putnam	28
Blanks	1

LT. GOVERNOR

John C. Carr	34
Blanks	9

SECRETARY

Joseph J. Buckley	22
Leo A. Gosselin	4
John D. O'Brien	11
Blanks	6

TREASURER

Thomas E. Barry	11
Francis X. Hurley	17
William F. Hurley	8
John F. Welch	3
Blanks	4

AUDITOR

Thomas J. Buckley	31
Leo D. Walsh	7
Blanks	5

ATTORNEY GENERAL

James E. Agnew	30
Blanks	13

SENATOR IN CONGRESS

Joseph E. Casey	18
Daniel H. Coakley	4
John F. Fitzgerald	14
Joseph Lee	3
Blanks	4

CONGRESSMAN 5TH DISTRICT

Mrs. Rogers	1
Fred Goodwin	1
Blanks	41

SENATOR 7th Mdsx. Dist.

William E. Flanagan	31
Blanks	12

COUNCILLOR 6th Dist.

Edward J. Coughlin	8
Harold A. Palmer	8
Francis J. Roche	15
Blanks	12

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT 19th Mdsx. Dist.

Thomas F. Murphy	33
Blanks	10

DISTRICT ATTORNEY No. Dist.

Blanks	43

REGISTER OF PROBATE AND INSOLVENCY Mdsx. Cy.

Blanks	43

COUNTY COMMISSIONER Mdsx. Cy.

Thomas B. Brennan	29
Blanks	14

COUNTY TREASURER Mdsx. Cy.

Blanks	43

A true record. Attest: ALICE A. PIKE, Town Clerk

TOWN WARRANT FOR STATE ELECTION

Middlesex ss:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town affairs, to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury,

ON TUESDAY, THE 3RD DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1942

at nine o'clock A. M. to vote on the following Officers and Questions:

The Polls will open from 9 o'clock A. M. until 8 P. M.

Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney General, Senator in Congress, Representative in Congress, Councillor, Senator, Representative in General Court (1, 2 or 3) District Attorney, Register of Probate and Insolvency, County Commissioner, except Nantucket & Suffolk Counties, County Treasurer, except Nantucket & Suffolk Counties.

QUESTIONS

Law Proposed by Initiative Petition

In All Cities and Towns

Shall the proposed measure which provides that the present statutes which make it a crime punishable by fine or imprisonment knowingly to advertise, print, publish, distribute or circulate any matter containing reference to any person from whom or place where any drug, instrument or means whatever, or any advice or information may be obtained, for the purpose of preventing pregnancy, or to sell, lend, give away, exhibit, offer or advertise any drug, medicine, instrument or any other article for the prevention of conception, or to write or print information of any kind stating when, where, how, of whom, or by what means such article can be obtained, or to manufacture or make such article, shall not apply to treatment or prescription given to married persons for protection of life or health by or under the direction of registered physicians nor to teaching in chartered medical schools nor

to publication or sale of medical treatises or journals, which was disapproved in the House of Representatives by a vote of 77 in the affirmative and 33 in the negative and in the Senate by a vote of 16 in the affirmative and 18 in the negative, be approved?

To obtain a full expression of opinion, voters should vote on all 3 of the following questions:—

(a) If a voter desires to permit the sale in this town of any and all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on and off the premises where sold, he will vote "Yes" on all three questions.

(b) If a voter desires to permit the sale herein of wines and malt beverages only to be drunk on and off the premises where sold, he will vote "No" on questions one and three, and "Yes" on question two.

(c) If he desires to permit the sale herein of all alcoholic beverages but only in packages, so called not to be drunk on the premises where sold, he will vote "No" on questions one and two, and "Yes" on three.

(d) If he desires to permit the sale herein of wines and malt beverages to be drunk on and off the premises where sold and in addition other alcoholic beverages but only in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises where sold, he will vote "No" on question one, and "Yes" on questions two and three.

(e) If he desires to prohibit the sale herein of any and all alcoholic beverages whether to be drunk on or off the premises where sold, he will vote "No" on all three questions.

In All Cities and Towns

1. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages [whiskey, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages?]

2. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages?)

3. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages so called, not to be drunk on the premises?

In All Cities and Towns

1. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed horse races be permitted in this county?

2. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed dog races be permitted in this county?

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices and leave one hundred copies for the use of the Citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, 8 days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said Meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid:

Given under our hands this 21st day of October A. D. 1942

IRVING F. FRENCH

BERNARD H. GREENE

DUNCAN J. CAMERON

Selectmen of Tewksbury.

A true copy. Attest:

CYRIL L. BARKER, Constable

Saturday, Oct. 24, 1942.

A true copy. Attest:

ALICE A. PIKE, Town Clerk.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Middlesex ss: Tewksbury, Mass, Nov. 3, 1942.

I have served the within warrant by posting up Attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and by leaving 100 copies for the use of the Citizens at the Post Offices in said town, eight days at least, and over two Sundays before the time of holding said meeting.

CYRIL L. BARKER,
Constable of Tewksbury.

A true copy. Attest: ALICE A. PIKE, Town Clerk.

STATE ELECTION

Commonwealth of Massachusetts — Tewksbury Town Hall,

Middlesex ss: — November 3, 1942.

At a meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in state elections held at the Town Hall this day the following business was transacted. Warrant was read by Irving F. French, presiding officer, after which he presented the Town Clerk with a receipt for 2268 ballots. The following were sworn in as tellers by the presiding officer: William A. Smith, William H. McGowan, Jesse J. French, Anna McPhillips, Thomas P. Sullivan and Fred H. Murdough. The polls opened at 9 o'clock A. M. and the register on the ballot box showed 0000. The polls closed at 8.00 P. M. with register showing that 1035 votes were cast. Following is the result of the count.

GOVERNOR

Roger L. Putnam	411	votes
Leverett Saltonstall	601	"
Otis A. Hood	2	"
Joseph Massidda	3	"
Guy S. Williams	2	"
William H. McMaster	1	"
Blanks	15	"

LT. GOVERNOR

Horace T. Cahill	617	votes
John C. Carr	377	"
Walter S. Hutchins	6	"
George L. McGlynn	3	"
Frank Searle	5	"
Blanks	27	"

SECRETARY

Joseph J. Buckley	351	votes
Frederic W. Cook	625	"
Bernard C. Kelly	10	"
Abbie L. Tebbets	7	"
Peter Wartiainen, Jr.	5	"
Blanks	37	"

TREASURER

Laurence Curtis	594	votes
Francis X. Hurley	382	"
Martha E. Geer	7	"
Gote Elvel Palmquist	3	"
Anders H. Swenson	7	"
Blanks	42	"

AUDITOR

Thomas J. Buckley	383	votes
Russell A. Wood	588	"
Herbert Crabtree	6	"
Ethel J. Prince	6	"
Blanks	52	"

ATTORNEY GENERAL

James E. Agnew	296	votes
Robert T. Bushnell	685	"
Charles F. Danforth	6	"
Fred E. Oelcher	2	"
Howard Penley	8	"
Blanks	38	"

SENATOR IN CONGRESS

Joseph E. Casey	310	votes
Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr.	683	"
Horace I. Hillis	5	"
George L. Paine	4	"
George L. Thompson	5	"
Blanks	28	"

CONGRESSMAN

Edith Nourse Rogers	891	votes
George K. James	1	"
William H. Smith	1	"
Blanks	142	"

COUNCILLOR

Theodore P. Hollis	614	votes
Francis J. Roche	343	"
Blanks	78	"

SENATOR

Arthur W. Coolidge	613	votes
William E. Flanagan	363	"
Blanks	59	"

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT

Thomas F. Murphy	374	votes
Sam G. Pillsbury	599	"
Blanks	62	"

DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Robert F. Bradford	701	votes
Joseph R. Corish	277	"
Blanks	57	"

REGISTER OF PROBATE & INSOLVENCY

Loring P. Jordan	603	votes
William F. McCarty	348	"
Blanks	84	"

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

Thomas B. Brennan	371	votes
Charles C. Warren	585	"
Blanks	79	"

COUNTY TREASURER

Charles P. Howard	789	votes
E. Howard King	1	"
Blanks	245	"

QUESTION NO. 1 LAW PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION.

Shall the proposed measure which provides that the present statutes which make it a crime punishable by fine or imprisonment knowingly to advertise, print, publish, distribute or circulate any matter containing reference to any person from whom or place where any drug, instrument of means whatever or any advice or information may be obtained, for the purpose of preventing pregnancy, or to sell, lend, give away, exhibit, offer or advertise any drug, medicine, instrument or other article for the prevention of conception, or to write or print information of any kind stating when, where, how, of whom, or by what means such article can be obtained, or to manufacture or make such article, shall not apply to treatment or prescription given to married persons for protection of life or

health by or under the direction of registered physicians nor to teaching in chartered medical schools nor to publication or sale of medical treatises or journals, which was disapproved in the House of Representatives by a vote of 77 in the affirmative and 133 in the negative and in the Senate by a vote of 16 in the affirmative and 18 in the negative, be approved?

YES	382	votes
NO	485	"
BLANKS	168	"

1. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines, and all other alcoholic beverages)?

YES	582	votes
NO	339	"
BLANKS	114	"

2. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?

YES	563	votes
NO	318	"
BLANKS	154	"

3. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises?

YES	585	votes
NO	291	"
BLANKS	159	"

1. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed horse races be permitted in this county?

YES	472	votes
NO	385	"
BLANKS	178	"

2. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed dog races be permitted in this county?

YES	416	votes
NO	421	"
BLANKS	198	"

A true record. Attest: ALICE A. PIKE, Town Clerk.

VITAL STATISTICS 1942

Births

Births recorded in the Town of Tewksbury
for the Year 1942

No.	Date of Birth		Name of Child	Name of Parents
1A	Jan.	18	Gladys Louise King	Everett and Barbara
2A	Jan.	31	Walter Daniel Kohanski	Walter and Helen
1	Mar.	6	Marion Theresa Morgan	Henry and Jenevive
3A	Feb.	22	Janice Marie Baker	Joseph and Ethel
4A	Feb.	23	David Sullivan	Frank and Catherine
5A	Mar.	22	Philip Douglas Curtis	Harry and Muriel
6A	Apr.	10	Charles Carney, Jr.	Charles and Catherine
7A	May	18	William Adelbert Roberts	Herbert and Bertha
8A	Feb.	23	Arthur Victor D'Entremont	Samuel and Kisbro
9A	Mar.	18	Albert Joseph Ferretti, Jr.	Albert and Madeline
2	June	3	Donald Allen Beals	Warren and Hazel
10A	May	17	Paul Joseph Theriault	Antoine and Dorothy
11A	May	19	Carol Ann Boisvert	Robert and Ann
12A	May	25	Judith Chapman	William and Beatrice
3	June	23	Richard Mark Treadwell	Richard and Bernice
13A	June	24	Paul Jeffrey Fleming	William and Eva
14A	June	25	Stephen Francis Hill	Francis and Blanche
15A	July	7	———— Perivolotis	George and Louisa
16A	Mar.	31	Harriet Jane Foreman	William and Harriet
17A	July	19	Sandra Rose Kohanski	Bronislaw and Dorothy
18A	July	26	James Francis McCoy	Paul and Eleanor
19A	July	26	Henry Louis Farmer, 3rd	H. Louis and Audrey
20A	Aug.	2	Anita Abbe Thing	Leroy and Cecelia
21A	Aug.	24	Elrine Nancy Parker	Converse and Alice
22A	Aug.	18	Edward Sullivan	John and Mary
23A	Feb.	12	Rita Louise Leahy	William and Mary
24A	June	1	Peter Matthew Dramer	Carly and Ruth
25A	Aug.	18	————	————
26A	Aug.	18	Linnea Anderson	Clifford and Ethel
4	Sept.	5	Richard John Mello	Alfonse and Mary
27A	Sept.	22	Neil Terrence Flaherty	Douglas and Hazel
28A	Sept.	24	Audrey Frances McManus	Leo and Audrey
29A	Sept.	5	Margaret Leola Record	Frederick and Gladys
30A	Aug.	2	Chester Ernest Burgess, Jr.	Chester and Dorothy

No.	Date of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Parents
31A	Sept. 17	Joan Marie O'Connell	John and Irene
32A	Oct. 16	Donna Marie Hazel	Charles and Helen
33A	Oct. 22	Jean Gay Brennon	Bradford and Isobel
34A	Oct. 24	Charlotte Louise Roper	Mark and Mildred
35A	Oct. 26	Jean Louise Whitehouse	James and Thelma
36A	Oct. 27	Robert Ellsworth Carson	Robert and Margaret
37A	Nov. 2	John Joseph Kelley	John and Helen
38A	Nov. 9	Edward Francis Deltorto	Edward and Marie
39A	Oct. 3	William Edward Love	James and Mary
40A	Nov. 11	Edward Joseph McCormack	Edward and Julia
41A	Nov. 12	William Edward Mercier	George and Inez
42A	Nov. 23	Pauline Hanna Gill	John and Alice
43A	Dec. 11	Carol Lydia Dorsch	Frederick and Charlotte
44A	Dec. 17	Charles Thomas Shimkus	Charles and Irene
45A	Dec. 19	———— Love	Lawrence and Dorothy
46A	Dec. 10	William John Rutkowski	John and Stella

Marriages

No.	Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
1	Jan. 10	J. Herbert Armstrong,	Lowell, Mass.
		Jean O. Pike	Tewksbury, Mass.
2	Jan. 18	Norman St. Onge	Heppner, Ore.
		Ruth Bolton	Tewksbury, Mass.
3	Feb. 11	Alexander A. Suprenant	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Hilda Mazzucco Bonugli	Tewksbury, Mass.
4	Jan. 7	Philip Arthur Burgess	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Florence Ruth Mills	Tewksbury, Mass.
5	Feb. 14	Arthur Thomas McManmon	Dracut, Mass.
		Maura Dempsey Sullivan	Tewksbury, Mass.
6	Apr. 4	John F. Harrington	Fort Devens, Mass.
		Helen L. Symonds	Tewksbury, Mass.
7	Feb. 14	Gerald K. Fox	Dracut, Mass.
		Mary T. Cisluycis	Tewksbury, Mass.
8	Apr. 14	William Milford Penney	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Mildred Iva Brown	Lowell, Mass.
9	Apr. 18	Alden Vaughn Doucett	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Helen Blake	Tewksbury, Mass.
10	Apr. 29	Albert P. Pattenden	Methuen, Mass.
		Esther M. Corcoran	Tewksbury, Mass.
11	May 3	Peter Joseph Golen	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Rose Donoghue	Lowell, Mass.

No.	Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
12	May 2	Kenneth Parsons Thompson	Andover, Mass.
		Ruth Helen Dean	Tewksbury, Mass.
13	Apr. 12	Demetrios Siopes	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Frances Bertelle Tibbetts	Dorchester, Mass.
14	May 10	Thomas Francis Fitzpatrick, Jr.	Lowell, Mass.
		Pauline Marie Meloy	Tewksbury, Mass.
15	May 16	Ernest Broadbent	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Marion Brennan	Lowell, Mass.
16	May 23	Robert B. Edell	Wilmington, Mass.
		Irene Brothers	Tewksbury, Mass.
17	May 30	Michael James Dumas	Beverly, Mass.
		Beatrice Mary Warner	Tewksbury, Mass.
18	June 5	Thomas Sparkes	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Laurel E. Wheelock	Dorchester, Mass.
19	June 13	Charles Bernard Hyde	Lowell, Mass.
		Stella Ann Wojtkiewcz	Tewksbury, Mass.
20	June 13	Victor H. Gray	Lynn, Mass.
		Reba P. Robertson	Tewksbury, Mass.
21	June 13	George O. Lincoln, Jr.	Billerica, Mass.
		Catherine G. Brown	Tewksbury, Mass.
22	June 19	William S. Wendell	Reading, Mass.
		Bertha Allen Muse	Tewksbury, Mass.
23	June 21	Pasquale Tallini	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Elizabeth Pasqualetto	Somerville, Mass.
24	June 20	Arne Filip Nordgren	Brookline, Mass.
		Dorothy Britt Chambers	Tewksbury, Mass.
25	June 28	John E. Hedstrom	Lowell, Mass.
		Josephine A. MacLellan	Tewksbury, Mass.
26	July 1	George DeSilva	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Rachel Louise Ward	Lowell, Mass.
27	July 5	Morris E. Horne	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Eileen Manning	Tewksbury, Mass.
28	July 15	Charles Shimkus	Billerica, Mass.
		Irene Hogan	Tewksbury, Mass.
29	July 22	Thomas J. Casserly	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Mary E. Decker	Tewksbury, Mass.
30	July 26	Thomas McCormack	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Gladys Baxter	Lowell, Mass.
31	July 23	Frank Irving Goodwin	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Alice Mary Gagnon	Tewksbury, Mass.
32	July 26	George Prichard Maclaren, Jr.	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Edna Mae Spencer	Attleboro, Mass.

No.	Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
33	Aug. 15	Bertrand Frank Bolton	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Ethel Ruth Anderson	Lowell, Mass.
34	Aug. 22	Thomas Kenneth McKenzie	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Alice Lillian James	Lowell, Mass.
35	Aug. 19	Gerald B. Barker	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Helen E. Burke	Lowell, Mass.
36	Aug. 29	Joseph P. Fleming	Wilmington, Mass.
		Gertrude M. Marshall	Tewksbury, Mass.
37	Sept. 6	Robert N. Plourde	Billerica, Mass
		Evelyn D. Keough	Tewksbury, Mass.
38	Sept. 7	Clarence E. Roux	Lowell, Mass.
		Gertrude M. Trudel	Lowell, Mass.
39	Sept. 7	John Doyle	Dorchester, Mass
		Margaret M. Ryan	Tewksbury, Mass.
40	Sept. 12	James Scott	Stoneham, Mass.
		Ruth Virginia Gray	Stoneham, Mass.
41	Sept. 27	Eleftherios Tsoukalas	Lowell, Mass.
		Anastasia Ligitsakos	Tewksbury, Mass.
42	Sept. 27	Edward V. Gontarz	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Pauline Walachkas	Billerica, Mass.
43	Oct. 10	Raymond M. Briggs	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Eleanor May Doucett	Tewksbury, Mass
44	Oct. 11	Vincent J. Zelonis	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Mary Elizabeth Wisniewski	Tewksbury, Mass.
45	Oct. 18	Norman Giles	Woburn, Mass.
		Marjorie L. Young	Tewksbury, Mass.
46	Oct. 24	Charles H. Fish	Wilmington, Mass.
		Mildred A. Sawyer	Tewksbury, Mass.
47	Oct. 24	Albert Pare	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Margaret St. Onge	Lowell, Mass.
48	Nov. 7	Algott Peterson	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Gladys M. Haines	Tewksbury, Mass.
49	Oct. 25	Carl G. Spalding	Lowell, Mass.
		Eugenia M. Farwell	Tewksbury, Mass.
50	Nov. 7	David Mowatt Lawrie	Ballardvale, Mass.
		Ruth Edna Small	Tewksbury, Mass.
51	Nov. 23	Melvin deJager	Hawthorne, N. J.
		Frances Sarre	Tewksbury, Mass.
52	Dec. 15	Manuel Parevoliotis	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Marion Bowden	Tewksbury, Mass.

No.	Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
53	Dec. 14	E. Lloyd Alden	Wareham, Mass.
		Lily A. Strem	Tewksbury, Mass.
54	Dec. 13	Lewis Haas	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Elizabeth Marie Brabant	Tewksbury, Mass.
55	Dec. 30	Roger S. H. Field	Wilmington, Mass.
		Mary Ciril Otto	Tewksbury, Mass.
56	Dec. 31	Paul Christianson	Lowell, Mass.
		Mary DiPalma	Tewksbury, Mass.

Deaths

Deaths recorded in the Town of Tewksbury
For the Year 1942

No.	Date of Death	Name	yrs.	months	days
1	Feb. 4	Frank D. Hall	84	5	29
2	Feb. 16	Lina T. (Reicher) Zink	76	4	19
3	Feb. 12	Emiline Heroux	62	—	—
1A	Feb. 18	James Michael Dunleavy	31	9	7
4	Mar. 8	Julia Driscoll Goggin	83	—	—
2A	Jan. 8	Michael Augston	51	—	—
3A	Jan. 25	Hugh Tighe	70	11	15
5	Mar. 11	Laura (Stoddard) Eaton	74	7	14
4A	Mar. 7	Michael Rafferty	57	—	—
5A	Mar. 12	Charles F. Scagliotti	77	—	—
6A	Feb. 22	Charles Kane	19	8	3
7A	Mar. 7	Ethel May Powell	57	—	9
6	Apr. 14	Ada Johanson Peterson	63	2	23
7	Apr. 23	Eliza Caroline Pickering	79	2	27
8A	Mar. 15	Alfred Ouellette	70	—	—
9A	May 2	Cicelia Baluta	50	—	—
10A	Mar. 4	Fannie Wener	56	—	—
11A	Mar. 27	John Bulley	58	1	20
12A	Apr. 16	Aristico Beaulieu	86	—	—
13A	May 10	Edith C. Flanders	67	10	—
8	June 19	Matthew T. Stevenson	30	—	—
9	June 22	Mary Campbell	71	11	6
10	June 27	William Rogers	46	—	—
14A	June 26	William Mahan	72	—	—
15A	June 12	Joseph Stankiewicz	62	2	24
16A	Aug. 3	Harry Ramsbotham	63	7	13

No.	Date of Death	Name	yrs.	months	days
17A	Apr. 26	Valmore J. Suprenant	45	11	26
11	Aug. 7	Napoleon Charles Boucher	71	8	17
12	Aug. 11	Margaret T. Sullivan	68	—	—
13	Aug. 11	Barilla Shedd Rice	72	11	2
14	Aug. 21				
15	Aug. 29	Henry Johnston	82	10	6
16	Aug. 16	Rachel A. Lawlor	46	—	2
18A	Aug. 18				
19A	Aug. 27	Arthur Thornton	64	1	24
17	Sept. 8	Joseph N. Colburn	86	7	15
20A	Sept. 1	Florence MacDonald	43	—	—
21A	Sept. 21	Bessie Mona Merrill	55	3	1
22A	Aug. 4	Olivia Fenerty	64	—	—
18	Oct. 5	Philomena Figuardo Furtado	62	—	—
23A	Sept. 9	Orrin H. Allen	58	4	22
24A	Sept. 13	Sarah Feinstein	62	—	—
19	Oct. 29	Catherine Higgins McGovern	78	—	—
25A	Oct. 8	Rev. Denis A. Sullivan, O. M. I.	68	—	—
20	Nov. 10	Elizabeth Campbell Parifico	78	5	29
26A	Nov. 25	Arthur Wendell Phillips	62	1	16
21	Dec. 5	Percy Lewis Haines	49	7	18
22	Dec. 4	Isabela S. MacArthur	93	2	—
23	Dec. 3	Dorothy W. A. Robertson	76	4	20
24	Dec. 20	Adalaide Charlotte Andrews	75	1	25
27A	Dec. 17	Etta L. Smith	61	1	11
25	Dec. 24	Margaret H. Garland	54	9	—

RECAPITULATION

Births 50

a. Females 21
b. Males 29

Marriages 56

Deaths 52

a. Females 27
b. Males 25

THE TOWN CLERK HEREBY GIVES NOTICE THAT SHE IS PREPARED TO FURNISH PARENTS, HOUSEHOLDERS, PHYSICIANS AND MIDWIVES, APPLYING THEREFOR, BLANKS FOR THE RETURN OF BIRTHS AS REQUIRED BY LAW.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Received and paid to the Town Treasurer for Licenses, permits, fees, etc. Five Hundred and forty-eight dollars and eighteen cents. ($548.18)

Received and paid to the Town Treasurer for Dog Licenses, Seven Hundred and ninety-seven dollars. ($797.00).

Received and paid to the Division of Fisheries and Game for licenses, Three Hundred eighty-six dollars and fifty cents. ($386.50).

This makes a total of One Thousand seven hundred and thirty-one dollars and sixty-eight cents. ($1,731.68).

Attest:

ALICE A. PIKE,

Town Clerk

HIGHWAYS

General

Appropriation	$ 16,000.00	
Less amount allotted to Chapter 81	9,600.00	$ 6,400.00
Transferred from Reserve Fund		500.00
		$ 6,900.00

Expenditures

Richard O'Neill, Superintendent	$ 541.25
Thomas Manley, chauffeur	426.80
Frank Goodwin, chauffeur	428.70
Charles Bowden, chauffeur	421.83
Homer Darby, chauffeur	429.75
Francis Brown, chauffeur	436.83
Roland Robinson, laborer	227.30
Alton Parker, laborer	355.70
Joseph Aubut, laborer	380.18
Edward Penney, laborer	341.75
William Penney, laborer	318.82
Winthrop Jones, laborer	341.30
Nelson Brown, laborer	351.76
John Dupee, laborer	54.74
Paul Finlayson, laborer	8.74
Eugene Manley, laborer	15.78
Edward Thoreson, laborer	19.32
George Manley, chauffeur	7.50
George Gale, compensation	109.28
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	77.13
Wilder Grain Co., salt, cement, etc.	30.30
Mildred Sawyer Fish, clerical work	85.35
Curley Grain & Fuel Co., coke	13.00
Jacob Halpersohn, gravel	171.15
James Chambers, gravel	98.55
S. Abbott Batchelder, Manila rope	15.00
Dracut Water Supply, use of compressor	21.43
Explosive Supply Co., Inc., gelatin and caps	15.50
Dana F. Perkins, surveying and laying out road bounds	225.00

Charles L. Haas, gravel	135.92	
Thomas P. Sawyer, plowing snow off sidewalks	28.00	
Tewksbury Diner, sandwiches	2.20	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., road oil	65.74	
Ross Sargent, Police duty	6.00	
Lauchie McPhail, Police duty	6.00	
Town of Tyngsboro, use of grader	40.00	
Balfe Service Co., drivers' report slips	9.50	
P. Cogger, transporting roller	65.00	
Traders & Mechanics Ins. Co., insurance on trucks and tractor	43.89	
Russell Lumber Co., posts and lumber	38.00	
H. E. Fletcher Co., granite posts	22.00	
Mary O'Neill, gravel	94.80	
John G. MacLellan, range oil	12.88	
Tewksbury State Hospital and Infirmary, X-Ray	5.00	
Dr. E. C. MacDougall, professional services	6.00	
Lincoln Gerrish, chauffeur	239.75	
Anderson Bros., dynamite and caps	14.50	
Arthur Wells, repairing typewriter	15.00	
Brooks, Jordan & Graves, surveying and setting stone bounds	75.00	
Rogers & Sherburne, legal services	5.00	$ 6,899.92
Unexpended		$ .08

Chapter 81

Transferred from General Highways	$ 9,600.00	
Allotment by State	9,600.00	19,200.00
Less amount credited to Highway Machinery Fund		3,349.15
		$ 15,850.85

Expenditures

Richard O'Neill, Superintendent	$ 975.00
Thomas Manley, chauffeur	740.80
Frank Goodwin, chauffeur	758.65
Charles Bowden, chauffeur	752.90
Homer Darby, chauffeur	768.45
Francis Brown, chauffeur	723.55
Roland Robinson, laborer	754.70
Edward Penney, laborer	637.59
Alton Parker, laborer	676.40

Joseph Aubut, laborer	680.92	
Nelson Brown, laborer	713.46	
Lincoln Gerrish, chauffeur	15.25	
William Penney, laborer	699.59	
Winthrop Jones, laborer	718.51	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., road oil	2,638.41	
George Gaudette, grader operator	103.00	
Town of Tyngsboro, use of grader and transportation	332.00	
The Barrett Division, road tar	2,402.85	
P. Cogger, sand	244.22	
Roland R. Fearon, scraping and painting signs	122.50	
Charles Haas, gravel	197.40	
Mary O'Neill, sand	10.65	
Town of Billerica, use of roller	25.00	
State Prison Colony, surveying bounds	37.50	
State Prison Colony, flanges and grates	121.55	
		$ 15,850.85

HIGHWAY MACHINERY FUND

Appropriation	$ 651.13	
Credited from Chapter 90, North Street	209.62	
Credited from Chapter 81	3,349.15	
Credited from Chapter 90, Maintenance	487.88	
		$ 4,697.78

Expenditures

Lowell Iron & Steel Co., bolts and iron	$ 1.79
Towers Motor Parts Corp., links and repairs	15.64
Ralph's Used Auto Parts, installing glass, etc.	4.00
Town Line Garage, repairs, gasoline & stickers	57.25
Middlesex Supply Co., repairs and supplies	17.24
Roger Boyd, Inc., drum alcohol	54.00
North Tewksbury Garage, labor and parts	507.66
Dyar Sales & Machinery Co., plow parts and hose	100.05
Cities Service Oil Co., gasoline and oil	1,939.05
Joe's Tire Shop, valve stems	2.50
Lowell Co-Operative Bank, storage of trucks	204.00
John C. Bennett, supplies	81.86
Lowell Glass Co., Inc., glass set in trucks	20.25
John G. MacLellan, range oil	26.77
Myers Auto Supply Co., tires and inspection	73.54
Frank J. Sullivan, repairs and parts	231.06
P. Falardeau, sharpening and repairing tools	49.70

Witkum Welding Co., welding, repairs and parts	55.75	
Louis M. Marion, filing saws	4.10	
Arthur Tremblay, supplies	2.35	
Pawtucket Auto Body Repair Shop, repairing cab door	2.00	
Tewksbury Garage, labor and parts	44.99	
State Prison Colony, nuts and bolts	.25	
F. H. Garlick, tools	3.00	
Traffic & Road Equipment Co., drag frame and steel brooms	101.00	
North Woburn Machine Co., steel and labor	13.32	
The Buffalo-Springfield Roller Co., rods and box	13.60	
The Thompson Hardware Co., bolts and washers	1.56	
Conant Machine & Steel Co., parts	177.70	
Clark-Wilcox Co., parts	16.65	
Edward Sheehan, gasoline	2.00	
Curley Grain & Fuel Co., coke	56.00	
Registry of Motor Vehicles, registering trucks and tractor	14.00	
Beech Truck & Parts Co., Inc., parts	15.00	
Mack Motor Truck Co., parts	27.55	$ 3,937.18
Unexpended		$ 760.60

CHAPTER 90—MAINTENANCE

Appropriation	$ 2,000.00	
Allotment by State	2,000.00	
Allotment by County	2,000.00	
		$ 6,000.00
Less amount credited to Highway Machinery Fund		487.88
		$ 5,512.12

Expenditures

Richard O'Neill, Superintendent	$ 105.00
Thomas Manley, chauffeur	86.40
Frank Goodwin, chauffeur	74.70
Charles Bowden, chauffeur	86.40
Francis Brown, chauffeur	85.20
Edward Penney, chauffeur	80.64
William Penney, chauffeur	75.88
Alton Parker, chauffeur	75.60
Joseph Aubut, laborer	80.64
Homer Darby, laborer	57.60
Roland Robinson, laborer	57.60

Nelson Brown	53.76	
Winthrop Jones, laborer	53.76	
Charles Haas, crushed stone and gravel	1,376.44	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., road oil	1,467.11	
George Gaudette, grader operator	88.50	
The Barrett Division, road tar	1,272.13	
P. Cogger, sand	74.76	
Paul McNulty, roller operator	28.00	
Town of Billerica, use of roller	10.00	
Town of Tyngsboro, use of grader	222.00	
		$ 5,512.12

NORTH STREET—Chapter 90

Brought forward from 1941	$ 1,961.02	
Less amount credited to Highway Machinery Fund	209.62	
		$ 1,751.40
Richard O'Neill, Superintendent	$ 30.00	
Thomas Manley, chauffeur	31.20	
Frank Goodwin, chauffeur	31.20	
Charles Bowden, chauffeur	31.20	
Homer Darby, chauffeur	41.00	
Francis Brown, chauffeur	31.20	
Roland Robinson, laborer	24.00	
Edward Penney, laborer	24.00	
Alton Parker, laborer	24.00	
Joseph Aubut, laborer	24.00	
Nelson Brown, laborer	24.00	
William Penney, laborer	24.00	
Winthrop Jones, laborer	24.00	
George Gaudette, grader operator	22.88	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., road oil	1,344.72	
		$ 1,731.40
Unexpended		$ 20.00

SCHOOLS

Appropriation	$ 60,000.00

Expenditures

Teachers

Mary Shea, supervisor	$ 731.96
Alice Sturtevant, supervisor	256.00
Harriet Donahoe, supervisor	266.64
Richard Miller, principal	1,400.64
Kathryn Chandler, teacher	1,456.32

Evelyn Dutton, teacher	1,270.28
Marjorie Scoboria, teacher	891.28
Catherine Maguire, teacher	1,361.28
Doris Groesbeck, teacher	947.79
David Lynch, teacher	1,552.49
Leonore Meehan, teacher	694.86
Elizabeth Mulry, teacher	1,102.18
Joseph King, teacher	856.00
Catherine Riley, substitute	195.00
Ruth Rood, substitute	135.00
Ethelyn Howard, principal	1,599.96
Marion Piper, teacher	1,129.32
Elizabeth Flynn, teacher	1,233.32
Doris Blake, teacher	1,168.32
James Sampson, teacher	764.00
Vera Meehan, substitute	10.00
Eva Hersey, teacher	1,171.32
Ruth Lyons, teacher	1,028.82
Virginia Cunningham, teacher	1,013.07
Winifred Colbath, teacher	1,028.82
Elizabeth Reynolds, teacher	910.00
Gertrude Holt, teacher	573.00
Mary Katherina, teacher	886.32
Dorothy Ogston, teacher	886.32
Catherine L. Meloy, teacher	834.53
Josephine MacLellan, teacher	470.31
Lora Van Bergen, teacher	541.14
Margaret Oliver, substitute	226.33
Mildred R. West, substitute	26.00
Alberta Mooney, substitute	446.00
Grace Hobart, substitute	8.00
Mrs. Geo. Weber, substitute	5.00
Josephine Hedstrom, teacher	368.47
Mary E. Garland, substitute	12.00
Herbert Hoyt, principal	720.64
Kathryn Hall, teacher	214.50
Marjorie Stanley, teacher	407.32
Margaret Mason, teacher	70.50
Thelma Doucette, teacher	140.00
Margaret Mathews, teacher	234.99
Edith M. Thornquist, teacher	275.00
Fatoula Papaconstantineau, teacher	131.83
Elizabeth Hoyt, teacher	79.74
Helle D. Generales, substitute	4.00
Thedma Green, substitute	4.00
	$ 31,740.61

Fuel and Janitor

Walter Lavell, janitor	$ 1,320.50	
Harry Wiley, janitor	1,352.00	
George Tolstrup, janitor	1,352.00	
Irving Bailey, janitor	576.00	
Lowell Gas Light Co., gas	130.94	
National Coal Sales Co., coal	2,741.38	
Carbide & Carbon Chemicals Corp., pyrof gas	15.25	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	1,101.04	
William M. Horner, janitors' supplies	56.25	
State Prison Colony, brushes	.79	
Wally's Market, supplies	1.38	
Workshop for the Blind, mop handles	4.75	
Bridget Tansey, cleaning at Foster School	11.20	
Hinton's Service Station, oil	1.00	
Sanascent Co., disinfectant	32.00	
City Window Cleaning Co., cleaning windows	16.00	
C. B. Coburn Co., janitors' supplies	3.66	
Austin F. & Jesse J. French, wood	5.00	
Bronslaw Kohanski, janitor	74.66	
John Dupee, janitor	66.50	
Arthur Tremblay, gasoline and oil	5.43	
		8,867.73

Transportation

Omer Blanchard, driving bus	$ 1,880.00	
Fred H. Garlick, driving bus	1,880.00	
Anthony Furtado, driving bus	400.00	
Rita Furtado, driving bus	1,480.00	
Eastern Mass. St. Ry. Co., transporting pupils	2,900.00	
		$ 8,540.00

Supervision

Stephen G. Bean	$ 877.56

Books and Supplies

Master Products Co., stencils	$ 28.75
Benjamin H. Sanborn & Co., books	7.58
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies	1,002.47
Fred Howard, drug supplies	12.58
F. J. Flemings Est., paper supplies	156.50
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	32.55
Chappell & Co., Inc., music	3.63
J. H. Broadbent & Son, letterheads	3.00

The Champion Publishing Co., hektograph work books	10.97	
South-Western Publishing Co., books	87.63	
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc., books and supplies	323.73	
Scott, Foresman & Co., books	58.37	
Spaulding Moss Co., supplies	86.86	
American Book Co., books	174.47	
Allyn & Bacon, books	78.79	
D. C. Heath & Co., books	58.13	
The Bruce Publishing Co., supplies	4.40	
Ginn & Co., books	135.67	
The Macmillan Co., books	41.53	
Laidlaw Bros., books	4.79	
Reformatory for Women, flag	6.68	
Webster Publishing Co., books	16.70	
World Book Co., books	64.16	
The Bon Marche Co., supplies	4.50	
Central Scientific Co., supplies	8.68	
McGraw-Hill Co., books	16.14	
Remington Rand, Inc., books, etc.	7.15	
Sullivan Bros., cards	21.00	
Pratt & Forrest Co., lumber for manual training	3.00	
Readers Digest, subscription	5.00	
Charles E. Merrill Publishers, books	3.84	
A. G. Pollard Co., supplies	11.56	
Boston Music Co., music	4.34	
Iroquois Publishing Co., books	4.21	
Houghton Mifflin Co., books	33.83	
Silver Burdette Co., books	36.62	
The Arlo Publishing Co., books	7.07	
Longmans, Green & Co., books	3.14	
Newson & Co., books	5.01	
D. Appleton Century Co., books	6.21	
N. A. Palmer Co., cards	.60	
The John C. Winston Co., books	7.51	
Denoyer-Geppert Co., maps	6.45	
		$ 2,595.80

School Houses

Osterman Coal Co., repairs to stoker	$ 6.00	
Gallagher Electric Service, labor and parts repairing bell	26.20	
Middlesex Supply Co., hardware and supplies	78.60	
George Brabant, labor	15.00	
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	50.51	

Bennett Bros., labor and parts	62.00	
Wilmington Builders' Supply Co., lumber, cement, etc.	72.49	
Wadsworth, Howland & Co., Inc., paint and brushes	7.82	
C. H. Hobson & Son, plumbing and material	218.89	
Louis Marion, labor and material	115.90	
The Thompson Hardware Co., paint supplies	41.51	
Chandler & Barber Co., supplies	4.70	
North Tewksbury Garage, parts	7.02	
Derby Electric Motors Co., labor and material	69.19	
International Business Machines Corp., servicing clock system	15.00	
W. L. Farwell, labor	8.00	
Russell Lumber Co., lumber	34.42	
White Electric Service, electrical repairs	2.78	
W. W. Carey Co., repairs	1.50	
The Robertson Co., supplies	14.90	
Boston Auto Supply Co., paint	1.35	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., paint and brush	43.95	
Wadsworth, Howland & Co., paint	20.04	
J. R. Scott, setting glass, painting, etc	9.00	
Elmer Olson, labor and material	10.50	
H. L. Gonzales, keys	3.00	
Pratt & Forrest Co., lumber, etc.	74.98	
F. L. Kane, labor and material	22.00	
Fred Lunn & Son, labor and stock	605.91	
William H. Dewing, material and labor on pump	24.75	
Oscar's Welding Shop, inspecting furnace	2.50	
E. A. Wilson Co., repairs to stoker	19.25	
John C. Bennett, supplies	44.79	
		$ 1,734.45

Massachusetts School Fund

Massachusetts Board of Retirement		$ 1,358.25

Miscellaneous

Royal Typewriter Co., typewriters	$ 154.00	
Royal Typewriter Co., exchange of typewriters, repairs, etc.	87.50	
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps	5.25	
John C. Bennett, supplies	5.60	
Wally's Market, groceries, etc.	69.06	
Anderson Bros., milk for H. E. Dept.	8.39	

William H. Bennett, use of well for North School	20.00
Purity Spring Water, spring water	26.70
Stephen G. Bean, travel expenses	131.10
Stephen G. Bean, telephone and postage	3.36
Alyce O'Brien, clerical services	42.50
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	109.61
A. G. Pollard Co., supplies	13.83
Scripture's Laundry, laundry	2.80
Spaulding-Moss Co., instrument sets	4.00
Merrimac Mutual Fire Insurance Co., insurance	25.00
Holyoke Mutual Fire Insurance Co., insurance	97.20
Hingham Mutual Fire Insurance Co., insurance	273.28
Traders & Mechanics Insurance Co., insurance	207.90
Federal Mutual Fire Insurance Co., insurance	137.96
Freddie's General Store, used mimeograph	15.00
Boston & Maine R. R. Co., drain pipe privileges	5.00
Miss Leonore Meehan, books	3.60
Charles Hazel, coach for athletics	300.00
J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing and envelopes	15.00
W. C. McKinnon, sharpening lawn mowers	3.50
D. Lovejoy & Son, Inc., repairs	2.40
Underwood Elliott Fisher Co., typewriter and repairs	158.35
Richard L. Miller, paid for postage	1.50
May L. Larrabee. telephone service and supplies for school	43.60
Harry Wiley, attendance officer	50.00
Acme Welding Works, welding	1.40
Science Research Associate, subscription	2.50
S. S. Kresge Co., ribbon	1.25
H. W. Burlingame, wipers	3.23
Reformatory for Women, flag	4.21
David O. Lynch, paid for material	8.40
Eleanor Fitzgerald, pianist at Grammar School Graduation	5.00
Walter W. Coburn, tuning piano	3.75
Mrs. E. M. Thoreson, strawberries	.50
F. C. Church & Co., insurance	108.15
Harrington Transportation Co., transporting books	.53
F. H. Garlick, trucking and transportation	20.00
The Robertson Co., Inc., cushions recovered and suppliies	29.05
Commissioner of Public Safety, boiler inspection	5.00
First National Stores Inc., groceries	2.87

Dillon Cleaning Co., cleaning	2.00	
Edith Haines, taking school census	35.00	
Time, subscription	5.00	
Fred Howard, supplies	3.65	
John H. Seifer, clocks repaired	6.00	
Ralph S. Battles, writing certificates	4.00	
Dorothy Ackles, clerical services	25.00	
J. Harper Gale, toll calls and writing certificates	54.05	
H. Hoyt, paid for postage, telephone and box rent	2.59	
Pratt & Forrest Co., lumber for manual training	38.38	
C. B. Coburn Co., paint, etc. for manual training	20.77	
National Geographic Society, subscription	4.00	
Arrow System, cleaning athletic apparel	175.95	
Life, subscription	4.50	
Rogers & Sherburne, legal services	40.00	
Beaudette & Co., duplicator and supplies	82.60	
		$ 2,722.32

SCHOOL NURSE

Miss Edith Haines, services	$ 1,333.28

Medical Inspection

Dr. H. M. Larrabee, school physician	$ 230.00

Appropriation for Schools		$ 60,000.00
Total expenditures		$ 60,000.00

Vocational School

Appropriation		$ 1,500.00
Expenditures		
City of Boston, tuition	$ 96.94	
City of Lowell, tuition	911.95	
		1,008.89
Unexpended		$ 491.11

PUBLIC WELFARE

Appropriation		$ 10,000.00
Expenditures		
Expended for Welfare		8,455.06
Unexpended		$ 1,544.94

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

Appropriation		$ 4,500.00
Received Federal Grants	$ 2,382.42	
Brought Forward from 1941	243.83	
Received Federal Grants, Administration	43.13	2,669.38
		$ 7,169.38

Expenditures

Expended Under Town Appropriation	$ 4,492.82	
Expended Under U. S. Grant	2,226.00	
Expended Under Administration	43.13	
		$ 6,761.95
Unexpended Under Town Appropriation	7.18	
Unexpended Under U. S. Grant and carried forward to 1943	400.25	
		$ 407.43

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Appropriation		$ 13,000.00
Transferred from Reserved Fund	$ 1,500.00	
Received from U. S. Grants	12,718.20	
U. S. Grants brought forward from 1941	282.29	
Received from U. S. Grants, Administration	422.22	$ 14,922.71
		$ 27,922.71
Expended under Town Appropriation	$ 14,498.39	
Expended under U. S. Grant	12,998.10	
Expended under U. S. Grant Administration	376.20	
		$ 27,872.69
Unexpended under Town Appropriation	1.61	
Unexpended under U. S. Grants and carried forward to 1943	2.39	
Unexpended under U. S. Grants Administration and carried forward to 1943	46.02	
		$ 50.02

AID. STATE AND MILITARY

Appropriation	$ 2,000.00
Expenditures	1,492.50
Unexpended	$ 507.50

STATIONERY AND PRINTING

Appropriation		$ 1,200.00

Expenditures

J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing	$ 49.50	
Balfe Service Co., printing	92.50	
Balfe Service Co., printing annual reports	585.00	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	49.69	
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps and envelopes	194.05	
Robinson Seal Co., supplies	20.28	
Lowell Sun Co., advertising	65.67	
M. G. Wight & Co., letterheads	7.00	
M. A. Lucia, stamps	11.00	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., supplies	48.54	
Spaulding-Moss Co., Poll list	51.94	
J. L. Fairbanks Division, listing sheets	3.50	
George A. Marshall, paid for supplies	1.50	
		$ 1,180.17
Unexpended		$ 19.83

SALARIES

Appropriation, Town Auditor		$ 700.00
Robert E. Gay, services		700.00
Appropriation, Town Treasurer		$ 1,500.00
George A. Marshall		1,500.00
Appropriation, Selectmen		$ 1,100.00
Irving F. French, services	$ 400.00	
Duncan J. Cameron, services	350.00	
Bernard H. Greene, services	350.00	
		$ 1,100.00
Appropriation, Town Clerk		$ 750.00
H. Louis Farmer, Jr., services	$ 82.66	
Alice A. Pike, services	667.34	
		$ 750.00
Appropriation, Tax Collector		$ 1,850.00
Harry C. Dawson, services		1,850.00
Appropriation, School Committee		$ 225.00
May L. Larrabee, services	$ 75.00	
J. Harper Gale, services	75.00	
Ralph Battles, services	75.00	
		$ 225.00
Appropriation, Road Commissioners		$ 400.00

Thomas P. Sawyer, services	$ 200.00	
Chester M. Roper, services	100.00	
Louis O. Berube, services	100.00	
		$ 400.00
Appropriation, Election Officers		$ 110.00
Fred Murdough, services	$ 8.00	
William Smith, services	19.00	
William Bailey, services	6.00	
Walter Goodwin, services	6.00	
Jesse French, services	19.00	
Thomas Sullivan, services	19.00	
Annie McPhillips, services	19.00	
William McGowan, services	8.00	
		$ 104.00
Unexpended		$ 6.00

INCIDENTALS

Appropriation	$ 1,000.00
Transferred from Reserved Fund	150.00
	$ 1,150.00

Expenditures

New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	$ 342.87
Fred C. Church & Co., Town Clerk's bond	7.50
Fred C. Church & Co., Treasurer's bond	114.00
Commercial Supply Co., supplies	6.43
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc. (Cabinets & Supplies)	149.01
J. J. Smith, moving safe	10.00
Martin Diploma Co., Civilian Defense certificates	20.00
Irving F. French, expenses to Selectmen's Asso.	3.00
Middlesex Co. Selectmen's Asso., membership dues	6.00
Ideal Key Shop, key	.75
Arthur W. Wells, servicing typewriter	15.00
A. J. Fairgrieve, P. O. box rent	1.40
A. A. Smith & Co., overhauling typewriter	25.00
Perley F. Gilbert, blueprints	2.77
The Hedman Manufacturing Co., renewal of bond on check protector	27.00
Appleton National Bank, rent of safe deposit box	6.00
George A. Marshall, travel expenses	18.00
Director of Accounts, certifying notes	6.00
Burroughs Adding Machine Co., service charge	6.60

H. Louis Farmer, Jr., refund on Town Clerk's telephone	16.00	
National Shawmut Bank of Boston, postage	.42	
Duncan J. Cameron, use of car	50.00	
Depot Key Shop, keys	.50	
Middlesex Supply Co., paint	6.44	
Union National Bank, charge for night deposit box	5.00	
Railway Express Co., express	1.10	
Harry L. Mann, paid for Ration Board supplies	4.75	
George A. Marshall, paid for tax stamps	.55	
H. Louis Farmer, Jr., acknowledging deeds	6.50	
Alice A. Pike, travel expenses	6.00	
Royal Typewriter Co., supplies	6.00	
Tewksbury Cemetery Corp., care of Town Tomb and Lot	10.00	
Robert E. Gay, acknowledging Treasurer's deeds	14.75	
Alice A. Pike, acknowledging Treasurer's deeds	1.75	
Winthrop S. Jones, care of soldiers' lot	17.50	
Auguste P. Sarre, frame and glass	1.00	
Irving F. French, use of auto and travel expenses for Board of Selectmen	50.00	
Leslie Collins, labor at South Cemetery	35.00	
Leslie Collins, labor at Old Cemetery	5.00	
A. Adelbert Anderson, telephone charges for Ration Board	2.82	
Rogers & Sherburne, legal services	24.10	
Harry C. Dawson, acknowledging deeds	1.00	
		$ 1,033.51
Unexpended		$ 116.49

BOARD OF HEALTH

Appropriation	$ 3,500.00

Expenditures

Bernard H. Greene, services at slaughter house	$ 32.50
Bernard H. Greene, use of auto	50.00
Winton C. Gale, services at Slaughter house	43.00
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., ink and stamp	1.85
Middlesex Co. Sanatorium, care of town cases	409.50
Dept. of Public Welfare, State Infirmary, care of T. B. case	150.43
Lowell Sun, advertising	14.00

E. R. Squibb & Sons, vaccine	19.04	
W. E. Merrill, professional services	9.00	
Walter Roberts, labor on dumps	2.00	
Edith E. Haines, R. N., professional services	215.00	
Deputy Sherriff's Office, notice	3.70	
Vernon Livingston, clearing dumps	124.50	
F. & E. Bailey & Co., vaccine	33.71	
A. J. Fairgrieve, envelopes	3.23	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, envelopes	.50	
Lowell Humane Society, care of dogs	16.00	
Dr. H. M. Larrabee, professional services	284.50	
		$ 1,412.46
Unexpended		$ 2,087.54

MEMORIAL DAY

Appropriation		$ 350.00

Expenditures

Winthrop S. Jones, flags	$ 22.50	
James King, Ph. D., orator	15.00	
Patten & Co., flowers	15.75	
Ladies' Aid Society, dinners	125.00	
Co. M 24th Inf., M.S.G., services of Firing Squad	8.00	
Romeo Couture, vibraphone solos	5.00	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, program and tickets	8.00	
F. I. Carter & Sons, 3 bouquets	7.50	
Thomas F. Hannafin, services of Band	82.00	
Mendelssohn Male Quartet, services	30.00	
		$ 318.75
Unexpended		$ 31.25

STREET LIGHTING

Appropriation		$ 6,200.00

Expenditures

Lowell Electric Light Corp., street lights		6,196.13
Unexpended		$ 3.87

LIBRARY

Appropriation		$ 1,300.00
Dog Tax		$ 626.74
		$ 1,926.74

Expenditures

DeWolfe & Fiske Co., books	$ 947.40	
Ruth W. Smith, expenses to Boston	21.00	
Ruth W. Smith, telephone	.30	
Jean Karr & Co., books	125.32	
Dorothy Fitzgerald, expenses to Boston	9.00	
Abbie M. Blaisdell, librarian	261.20	
Abbie M. Blaisdell, P. O. box rent	1.80	
Abbie M. Blaisdell, postage, etc.	1.00	
Blanche King, asst. librarian	162.75	
Robert Nash, asst. librarian	89.00	
Maude B. Gray, magazine subscriptions	70.40	
Nathaniel Dame, books	49.55	
Gaylord Bros., Inc., supplies	28.60	
The Junioir Literary Guild, subscriptions	18.50	
Mrs. Randolph Fitzgerald, services as district librarian	10.00	
Abbie M. Blaisdell, services as district librarian	10.00	
Mrs. Bischoff, services as district librarian	10.00	
Edgar Smith, tranporting books to outlying districts	87.50	
Robert H. Sloan, asst. librarian	21.00	$ 1,924.32
Unexpended		$ 2.42

TOWN HALL

Appropriation		$ 3,500.00

Expenditures

George K. James, janitor	$ 1,352.00	
George K. James, paid for repairs, freight and supplies	14.57	
F. L. Kane, repairing plaster	6.00	
Frank P. McCartin Co., lamps	9.74	
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	23.12	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	473.09	

A. F. French & Co., table paper	30.25	
Middlesex Supply Co., supplies	21.84	
Lowell Gas Light Co., gas	82.65	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	137.53	
Roy T. Anderson, cleaner	3.10	
First National Stores, Inc., supplies	6.54	
A. G. Pollard Co., supplies	6.98	
Burroughs Adding Machine Co., service charge	.45	
C. B. Dolge Co., supplies	25.45	
Thomas F. Sullivan, plumbing and material	17.85	
Osterman Coal Co., coal and cleaning boiler	444.27	
Wally's Market, supplies	2.29	
General Mills, Inc., fertilizer	6.00	
Leslie Collins, sharpening lawn mowers	3.00	
Jesse J. French, wood	12.00	
Sears, Roebuck & Co., electric fan	5.98	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	7.60	
Russell Lumber Co., lumber	34.99	
George Brabant, wood	8.00	
Commissioner of Public Safety, inspection of boilers	10.00	
The Thompson Hardware Co., wheelbarrow and grass seed	17.80	
Louis M. Marion, labor and material	17.90	
William M. Horner, disinfectant	1.80	
Arthur Tremblay, supplies	10.01	
The Robertson Co., Inc., shades	13.80	$ 2,806.60
Unexpended		$ 693.40

GENERAL

Middlesex Co. Treasurer, T. B. assessment	$ 1,208.01	
Middlesex Co. Treasurer, Dog licenses	800.00	
Middlesex Co. Treasurer, Sale of dog	3.00	
Middlesex Co. Treasurer, County tax	5,794.78	
National Shawmut Bank, paid notes No. 241, No. 243, No. 244	50,000.00	
Commonwealth of Mass., State Tax	11,100.00	
Commonwealth of Mass., Parks & Reservations	204.99	
Commonwealth of Mass., Auditing municipal Accounts	882.01	
Merchants National Bank, paid note No. 242	25,000.00	
		$ 94,992.79

MOTH DEPARTMENT

Appropriation		$ 1,500.00

Expenditures

Harris M. Briggs, services	$ 756.60	
Harris M. Briggs, paid for registering trucks	4.00	
Edward Thoreson, labor	136.00	
H. R. Gourley, Service Station, gasoline	50.97	
Middlesex Supply Co., supplies	1.50	
George W. Dutch, labor	143.00	
John L. Dupee, labor	151.00	
Middlesex Co. Farm Bureau Asso., arsenate of lead and trucking	251.47	
Golen's Garage, changing battery	1.00	
Louis M. Marion, filing saws	3.75	$ 1,499.29
Unexpended		.71

TREE WARDEN

Appropriation		$ 1,500.00

Expenditures

Harris M. Briggs, services	$ 790.40	
Harris M. Briggs, paid for transfer of trucks and registering	3.00	
Bulley's Filling Station, gasoline	3.00	
Wm. A. Scarlett, bearing for truck	26.40	
John C. Bennett, hardware supplies	23.53	
Town Line Garage, repairs, etc.	1.00	
Fred Vinecour, paint	.75	
H. R. Gourley, Service Station, labor, gasoline, etc.	58.40	
The Thompson Hardware Co., supplies	6.17	
C. B. Coburn Co., wedges	.84	
The Lowell Sun Co., advertising	1.75	
Stanley Woolover, adjusting lights and sticker	2.50	
North Tewksbury Garage, labor, etc.	7.75	
Signal Service Corps, parts	20.28	
John Dupee, labor	280.80	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	8.58	
Anderson Bros., use of horse	49.50	
William Wickam, welding	1.00	

Thomas Dixon, cutting brush	172.80	
Frank Goddard, repairs	3.15	
Middlesex Machine Co., supplies	.60	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, envelopes	3.50	
Arthur Tremblay, supplies	2.55	
Donohoe Tire Co., Inc., belt	10.95	
Edward Sheehan, gasoline	7.24	$ 1,486.44
Unexpended		$ 13.56

INTEREST

Appropriation	$ 800.00

Expenditures

The National Shawmut Bank, discount on notes No. 243, No. 244, No. 245	123.34
Unexpended	$ 676.66

POLICE

Appropriation	$ 10,141.00

Expenditures

Dorothy E. Ackles, clerk-stenographer	$ 200.00	
Cyril L. Barker, Chief	2,210.00	
Cyril L. Barker, paid express	.50	
Daniel D. Sterling, services	1,890.00	
George Hazel, services	330.30	
C. Abbott Battles, services	17.10	
Lauchie McPhail, services	510.70	
Ross Sargent, services	263.10	
Daniel Sheehan, services	201.60	
George Gale, services	1,339.80	
Jeremiah Houlihan, services	1,335.00	
James Manley, services	3.60	
Walter Lavell, services	72.00	
Myers Auto Supply Co., parts and repairs	64.23	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	166.96	
City of Lowell, radio service	60.00	
City of Lowell, use of jail	38.00	
City of Lowell, ambulance service	10.00	
Cities Services Oil Co., gasoline and oil	406.99	
Commissioner of Public Safety, license book	.45	

Golen's Garage, labor, supplies and parts	40.11	
Golen's Garage, storage police car	2.20	
Frank P. McCartin Co., supplies	19.38	
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps	7.50	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	24.94	
Graybar Electric Co., electrical supplies	68.78	
Post Office Locksmith, keys	1.20	
Billerica Motor Sales Co., exchange of 1941 Ford for 1942 car	400.00	
Billerica Motor Sales Co., repairs and parts	50.93	
Harry A. Morrison, transferring radio from 1941 to 1942 cruiser and parts	30.00	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, radio reports and envelopes	7.25	
Towers Motor Parts Corp., brushes, etc.	22.23	
Iver Johnson Sporting Goods Co., supplies	6.88	
Deluxe Filter & Piston Co., cartridges, etc	7.41	
Pioneer Gen.-E.-Motor, repairs to armatures	9.90	
Edward Sheehan, tires, tubes and oil	50.11	
N. G. Wood & Sons, Inc., bronze seals	12.25	
Utility Supply Co., ribbon	.60	
Lowell Motor Sales Co., Inc., fan belts	3.90	
Isidore J. Trudel, transporting prisoner	2.43	
Robert E. Gay, Notary Public fees	1.25	
Pease Motor Co., repairs	27.00	
Roger Buck, zerone	5.00	$ 9,921.58
Unexpended		$ 219.42

PARKS AND COMMONS

Appropriation	$ 250.00	
Expenditures		
Winthrop S. Jones, flags	$ 28.50	
John C. Bennett, rake	2.00	
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	4.29	
Leslie Collins, sharpening and repairing lawn mowers	5.50	
Walter Roberts, labor	48.00	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	9.75	
John Kane, labor	1.50	
Harris M. Briggs,, care of flags and common	125.00	
Reformatory for Women, flags	12.64	$ 237.18
Unexpended		$ 12.82

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation	$ 5,000.00
Transferred from Reserved Fund	377.00
	$ 5,377.00

Expenditures

A. S. Haines, Chief	$ 1,820.00
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	240.94
Charles W. Knox & Son, accident policy	187.50
E. A. Wilson Co., oil, parts, etc.	186.07
Lowell Iron & Steel Co., iron and steel parts	10.37
Lowell Gas Light Co., gas	15.66
American Fire Equipment Co., parts	217.09
Hinton's Service Station, gasoline, telephone, etc.	$ 39.16
Hinton's Service Station, garage rent	90.00
North Tewksbury Garage, storage	84.00
North Tewksbury Garage, supplies, labor and parts	138.29
The Thompson Hardware Co., supplies	1.18
Goodyear Service, tire and tubes	51.58
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	32.35
H. R. Gourley's Service Station, lunches, gasoline and labor	53.45
The Robertson Co., Inc., shades	8.80
Anthony Cidado, ceiling light	5.00
Towers Motor Parts Corp., switch	.60
Boston Auto Supply Co., cable	1.00
The Lowell Sun Co., advertising	9.63
A. J. Fairgrieve, envelopes, cards and stamps	5.48
Leslie Collins, sharpening lawn mowers	3.00
Town of Wilmington, rental of 3 hydrants	120.00
Middlesex Supply Co., paint	.95
Arthur Tremblay, gasoline, oil and supplies	54.93
Donohoe Tire Co., Inc., tire and tube	37.26
Louis M. Marion, veneer	.75
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	2.55
Scannell Boiler Works, parts	2.36
Edward Sheehan, gasoline	5.00

Labor at Fires

Everett Haines	$ 209.00
Andrew Kohanski	120.00
Wallace Farwell	33.00

George James	116.75	
Harry Gleason	88.75	
Howard King	80.00	
William Bailey	27.75	
Thomas Sullivan	131.50	
Fred Carter	21.75	
Bronslaw Kohanski	56.00	
Victor Lundquist	43.50	
William Millett	83.75	
John Smith	10.25	
John Carter	30.25	
Frank Corr	12.75	
Charles Bowden	92.25	
Harry Patterson	56.00	
Omer Blanchard	5.25	
Anthony Cidado	26.50	
William Shanley	12.75	
Walter Kohanski	34.50	
Edgar Hinton	26.00	
Edgar Hinton, Jr.	11.25	
Harry Treadwell	197.75	
James Bancroft	11.00	
Harold Mills	44.25	
Albert Bancroft	12.75	
Earl Sands	5.50	
Alexander Suprenant	46.90	
Fred King	58.65	
Walter Roberts	6.75	
Hugh Cameron	6.00	
Albert LaBonte	10.75	
James Manley	1.00	
G. E. Conroy	1.00	
Ivan Palmer	.50	
Fred Record	.50	
Chester Burgess	5.75	
Robert Hinton	1.25	
Leonard Glen	1.25	
Leslie Collins	4.00	
Everett Haines, station duty	48.00	
Harry Treadwell, station duty	90.50	
Thomas Sullivan, station duty	20.50	
Charles Bowden, station duty	43.00	
Harry Gleason, station duty	1.00	
Andrew Kohanski, station duty	4.00	
		$ 5,377.00

ASSESSORS

Appropriation		$ 3,000.00
Expenditures		
Ethtl M. Phillips, services as clerk	$ 738.50	
Ethel M. Phillips, expenses to Registry of Deeds Office	20.00	
Austin F. French, services	507.00	
Austin F. French, use of car	93.00	
Buzzell King, services	784.00	
Percy L. Haines, services	453.00	
Percy L. Haines, use of car	3.00	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	39.15	
Spaulding-Moss Co., supplies	3.63	
The Stoneham Independent, excise cards	1.00	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., supplies	86.53	
Thomas E. Watson, blueprints and re-drawing plans	61.59	
The Robertson Co., Inc., chair pads	10.00	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	15.45	
A. J. Fairgrieve, envelopes and stamps	24.08	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing	8.50	
Utility Supply Co., ribbons	1.31	
Association of Mass. Assessors, dues	6.00	$ 2,855.74
Unexpended		$ 144.26

INSPECTION OF MEAT AND ANIMALS

Appropriation		$ 700.00
Expenditures		
Charles Fenerty, inspection of meat, animals and barns	$ 648.30	
A. H. Jewell, inspection of animals	50.00	
A. J. Fairgrieve, envelopes	1.70	
		$ 700.00

COLLECTION OF TAXES

Appropriation		$ 1,000.00
Expenditures		
Walter H. Wilcox, premium on Deputy Tax Collector's bond	$ 5.00	
Underwood Elliott Fisher Co., maintenance service and ribbon	18.75	

A. J. Fairgrieve, envelopes and stamps	230.90	
A. J. Fairgrieve, box rent	1.80	
A. W. LaFond & Co., tax and excise bills	176.90	
Massachusetts Bonding & Ins. Co., premium on Collector's bond	248.00	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	27.54	
Hobbs & Warren Inc., forms, cash books, etc.	95.69	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, letterheads	4.50	
Harry C. Dawson, paid for recording deeds	89.10	
Harry C. Dawson, paid for express	1.36	
Robert E. Gay, acknowledging deeds	22.25	
The Telegram Pub. Co., advertising	75.75	
Massachusetts Tax Collectors & Treasurers Asso., annual dues	2.00	$ 999.54
Unexpended		$ .46

MAINTENANCE OF LEGION HALL

Appropriation		$ 125.00
Expenditures		
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	$ 56.91	
Middlesex Supply Co., lamps and supplies	6.50	
The Union News Co., accessories for card table	11.25	
The Robertson Co., Inc., window shades	5.53	$ 80.19
Unexpended		$ 44.81

4-H CLUB

Appropriation		$ 50.00
Expenditures		
Gertrude Rutledge, material for So. Tewksbury Club		2.48
Unexpended		$ 47.52

DOG OFFICER

Appropriation		$ 200.00
Expenditures		
Lowell Humane Society, stray dog destroyed	$ 1.00	
Gerald J. Finneran, services as Dog Officer, telephone, etc.	199.00	
		$ 200.00

HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING LOAN

Appropriation		$ 4,797.50

Expenditures

The Merchants National Bank, interest	$ 797.50	
Paid notes No. 149, No. 150, No. 151 and No. 152	$ 4,000.00	
		$ 4,797.50

BOARD OF REGISTRARS

Appropriation		$ 750.00

Expenditures

The Lowell Sun Co., advertising	$ 16.63	
George H. McCoy, services	106.00	
Herbert Patterson, services	88.00	
H. Louis Farmer, Jr., services	35.75	
Herbert Fairbrother, services	72.50	
William H. Bennett, services	85.00	
Alice A. Pike, services	188.00	
Hobbs & Warren, forms	1.10	$ 592.98
Unexpended		$ 157.02

W. P. A.

Appropriation		$ 5,000.00
Brought Forward from 1941 by vote		1,639.83
		$ 6,639.83

Expenditures

Everett H. King, Sponsor's agent	$ 712.50	
Everett H. King, travel expenses	6.00	
Charles Mackey, labor	7.50	
Dorothy E. Ackles, services as clerk	290.00	
Clarence LaDuke, range oil	.70	
Herman Bischoff, bread and flour for school lunches	499.90	
Allen's Farm, milk for school lunches	592.77	
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	2.78	
Donohoe Tire Co., alcohol for truck	5.00	
John E. Craig, trucking from warehouse	3.00	
Lowell Fruit Co., vegetables for lunch project	226.45	
Alfred Marion, labor and material	23.87	

Walter Lavell, janitor	2.00
A. A. Smith & Co., rental of typewriter	18.00
Freddie's General Store, groceries and handling charges	586.68
Roy's Service Station, labor, gasoline, etc.	13.25
Gertrude Rutledge, transportation and supplies	40.00
Richard Haines, labor	10.50
Surplus Commodity Warehouse, rent charge	53.40
Curley Grain & Fuel Co., coke	26.00
Brosnan & Brosnan, egg cases and storage	7.75
Bon Marche Co., uniforms, etc.	19.19
Anderson Bros., milk for school lunches	565.15
John H. McKay, gasoline	49.16
Louis Stulbaum, labor	41.50
Matteo Sacco, labor	4.75
Lowell Buick Co., straightening hood	6.00
Golen's Garage, labor, parts and storage	82.64
F. J. Fleming Est., paper supplies	48.03
Fenton Phelan, labor	2.00
Dr. H. M. Larrabee, physical examinations	25.00
Highland Laundry Co., laundry	1.05
Harry Sawyer, trips to Commissary	9.00
Charles Santos, storage and handling charges	17.20
Wilmington Coal & Ice Co., coal	29.00
Post Office Garage, Inc., 1937 Chevrolet chassis cab	350.00
Post Office Garage, Inc., transfer registration	1.00
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	9.64
A. G. Pollard Co., supplies	44.63
North Tewksbury Garage, labor, oil & parts	42.47
Lowell Glass Co., Inc., glass set in car door	6.50
Bulley's Filling Station, oil & gasoline	13.64
Ideal Racket Store, supplies	49.80
H. R. Gourley Service Station, gasoline	13.58
Arthur Tremblay, supplies	1.31
McCarthy's Express Co., freight & express	7.24
Webster-Thomas Co., syrup for school lunch project	14.40
George Brabant, wood	4.00
Henry P. Foley, shovel handles	4.25
The Fairgrieve Belting Co., Inc., belt	1.57
Gerard Paquette, hauling commodities	6.00
Cherry & Webb Co., uniforms	10.82
Commonwealth of Mass., administrative expenses	169.68

Liggetts Drug Store, First Aid supplies	2.83	
Middlesex Supply Co., supplies	9.99	
Edward Sheehan, gasoline	.65	
G. R. Myers Co., sharpening tools	.90	
John G. MacLellan, range oil	18.75	
Bernard Marion, repairs	7.00	
First National Stores, Inc., supplies	3.79	
Fred H. Garlick, trucking	34.25	
Carbide & Carbon Chemicals. pyro gas	26.25	
G. C. Prince & Son Inc., paper	1.71	
Hinton's Service Station, potatoes	4.50	
Robert E. Gay, Notary Public fees	2.00	
H. P. Hood & Sons, butter	31.36	$ 4,922.23
Unexpended		$ 1,717.60

CLERICAL SERVICES

Appropriation		$ 200.00
Expenditures		
Ethel M. Phillips, services	105.00	
Unexpended		$ 95.00

ADDITION TO SHAWSHEEN SCHOOL BUILDING

Brought Forward from 1941		$ 2,219.03
Expenditures		
Dorothy E. Ackles, clerical services	$ 5.00	
A. J. Muth, survey & report on requirements for correcting heating system	100.00	105.00
Unexpended balance carried forward to 1943		$ 2,114.03

SHAWSHEEN SCHOOL BUILDING LOAN

Appropriation		$ 2,075.00
Expenditures		
East Weymouth Savings Bank, interest	$ 75.00	
East Weymouth Savings Bank paid note 236	2,000.00	
		$ 2,075.00

TAX TITLE FORECLOSURES

Appropriation		$ 500.00

Expenditures

Hobbs & Warren, forms	$ 7.86	
Ethel M. Phillips, clerical services	130.00	
Middlesex No. District Registry, fee for recording deeds of land of low value	153.80	
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps	15.87	
The Lowell Sun Co., advertising	45.50	
George A. Marshall, postage	.28	
Rogers & Sherburne, legal services	25.00	
Harry C. Dawson, acknowledging deeds	1.75	
Middlesex No. Land Registration Office, recording deeds	12.25	$ 392.31
Unexpended		$ 107.69

MOTOR EXCISE REFUND

Guy B. Gray	$ .98	
Joseph D. Alveno	6.44	
Uel Kinney	3.31	
Gilbert E. French	3.65	
Nathan Brass	.37	
Alex. Stotik	2.38	
Robert F. Carson & Sons	2.55	
Edward H. Bowley	1.65	
Lillian E. Laidlow	14.95	
Joseph Petraites	3.28	
Melvin G. Rogers	12.54	
Mary J. Smith	1.28	
Walter L. Wright	16.61	
Robert L. O'Brien	8.47	
Charles R. Fitzgerald	10.94	
John E. Denehy, Jr.	4.10	
Frank J. Donovan	7.44	
Jane B. Barker	2.07	
Leo P. Tighe	2.55	
George V. Farrell	.55	
		$ 106.11

CIVILIAN DEFENSE

Appropriation	$ 700.00
Transferred from Reserved Fund	250.00
	$ 950.00

Expenditures

Walter L. Parker Bobbin & Spool Co., night sticks	$ 25.72	
Myers Auto Supply Co., flashlights, bulbs and batteries	44.09	
Fred E. Grant, painting boxes	5.00	
New England Tel & Tel. Co., telephones	254.56	
Spaulding-Moss Co., supplies	56.28	
Harry F. Betts, paid for supplies, express and telephone	12.17	
Russell Lumber Co., material	.85	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	13.04	
Mrs. Ensor, paid for food	.46	
Wally's Quality Food Store, groceries	3.51	
Stanley's Army Supplies, whistles and flashlights	17.69	
Sullivan Badge & Name Plate Co., police badges	54.25	
C. B. Coburn Co., shovels and pickaxes for schools	7.38	
A. F. Wood, arm bands	30.00	
Iver Johnson Sporting Goods Co., whistles and chains	17.18	
The Lowell Sun Co., advertising	27.13	
J. J. Newberry Co., kneeling pads	2.80	
Thomas Groom & Co., Inc., map pins	1.10	
Makepeace, Inc., roll ozalid	6.02	
Thomas W. Reed Co., supplies	72.75	
J. W. Daily Inc., supplies	7.74	
Wakefield Item Co., record cards	27.00	
C. F. Langley, Agent, warning horn equipment and installation	97.15	
Hinton's Service Station, pipe and labor	15.00	
Edith E. Haines, telephone and postage	2.00	$ 800.87
Unexpended		$ 149.13

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Appropriation		$ 225.00

Expenditures

G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., changing dies on sealers	$ 8.00	
Victor N. Cluff, services as Sealer	200.00	
Robinson Seal Co., Inc., supplies	3.53	$ 211.53
Unexpended		$ 13.47

MAINTENANCE OF STADIUM AND ATHLETICS

Appropriation for repairs and maintenance		$ 175.00
Appropriation for athletics		175.00
		$ 350.00

Expenditures

Lull & Hartford, athletic supplies	$ 47.35	
Stone & Webster Inc., paint	44.22	
John G. MacLellan, fuel oil	13.15	
Currier's Express, express	1.10	
F. L. Kane, painting	70.00	
Wm. J. O'Neill, paid express	.50	
The Sherwin-Williams Co., aluminum	1.90	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	11.10	
Russell Lumber Co., lumber	3.44	
Middlesex Supply Co., supplies	12.95	
Harry Wiley, services as custodian	50.00	$ 255.71
Unexpended		$ 94.29

FOSTER SCHOOL FUND

Central Savings Bank, interest from Foster School Fund	$ 10.45

Expenditures

North Wilmington Nurseries, shrubs	$ 4.75	
Lowell Rendering Co., fertilizer	5.70	
		$ 10.45

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FOR PURCHASE OF FIRE HOSE

Appropriation	$ 800.00

Expenditures

American Fire Equipment Co., 2000 ft. Forest hose coupled	702.10
Unexpended	$ 97.90

REAL ESTATE TAX REFUND

Flavio Ghiozzi	$ 14.10	
William L. Robertson	28.20	
John L. and Inez M. Robertson	28.20	
Charles J & Annie H. Donahoe	7.05	
Jonas and Maude Banks	8.46	
		$ 86.01

CONSTRUCTION OF SIDEWALKS FROM CHANDLER ST. TO ST. WILLIAMS CHURCH

Appropriation		$ 1,000.00

Expenditures

Richard O'Neill, Superintendent	$ 70.00	
Thomas Manley, chauffeur	30.00	
Frank Goodwin, chauffeur	39.30	
Charles Bowden, chauffeur	39.30	
Homer Darby, chauffeur	45.00	
Francis Brown, chauffeur	39.30	
Roland Robinson, laborer	39.30	
Alton Parker, laborer	36.68	
Joseph Aubut, laborer	36.68	
Edward Penney, laborer	49.00	
William Penney, laborer	64.96	
Nelson Brown, laborer	68.04	
Winthrop Jones, laborer	65.24	
Edward Thorenson, laborer	36.68	
Mary O'Neill, gravel	7.50	
Town of Reading, use of roller	24.00	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., concrete	276.67	
Wilder Grain Co., cement	10.50	
C. B. Coburn Co., calcium chloride	2.70	
Dracut Water Supply District, use of compressor	14.00	
Thomas P. Sawyer, use of horse	5.00	$ 999.85
Unexpended		$ .15

MUNICIPAL INSURANCE FUND

Appropriation		$ 1,500.00

Expenditures

Union National Bank of Lowell, Liberty Bonds		$ 1,500.00

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

Receipts

City Institution for Savings, interest from		
Martha Shedd Fund	$ 12.00	
Peter Clark Fund	2.41	

Central Savings Bank, interest from		
Ebenezer Page Fund	10.00	
William Prindle Fund	4.47	
Louisa Bridge Fund	3.00	
Samuel Jaques Fund	3.00	
Jeremiah Kittredge Fund	3.00	
		$ 37.88

Expenditures

William Pringle:		
Care of Ebenezer Page lot, 1941	$ 5.00	
Care of William Prindle lot, 1941	2.70	
Care of Martha Shedd lot, 1941	6.00	
Tewksbury Cemetery Corp.:		
Care of Thomas Bridge lot	3.00	
Care of Jeremiah Kittredge lot	3.00	
Care of Samuel Jaques lot	3.00	
Leslie Collins:		
Care of Martha Shedd lot, 1942	6.00	
Care of Ebenezer Page lot, 1942	5.00	
Care of William Prindle lot, 1942	1.77	
Care of Peter Clark lot, 1942	2.41	
		$ 37.88

SUMMARY

Highways—General	$ 6,899.92
Highways—Chapter 81	15,850.85
Highway Machinery Fund	3,937.18
Highways—Chapter 90, Maintenance	5,512.12
Highways—Chapter 90, North Street	1,731.40
Schools	60,000.00
Vocational Schools	1,008.89
Public Welfare	8,455.06
Aid to Dependent Children	6,761.95
Old Age Assistance	27,872.69
Aid, State and Military	1,492.50
Stationery and Printing	1,180.17
Salaries:	
Town Auditor	700.00
Town Treasurer	1,500.00
Selectmen	1,100.00
Town Clerk	750.00
Tax Collector	1,850.00

School Committee	225.00
Road Commissioners	400.00
Election Officers	104.00
Incidentals	1,033.51
Board of Health	1,412.46
Memorial Day	318.75
Street Lighting	6,196.13
Library	1,924.32
Town Hall	2,806.60
General	94,992.79
Moth Department	1,499.29
Tree Warden	1,486.44
Interest	123.34
Police	9,921.58
Parks and Commons	237.18
Fire Department	5,377.00
Assessors	2,855.74
Inspection of Meat and Animals	700.00
Collection of Taxes	999.54
Maintenance of Legion Hall	80.19
4-H Club	2.48
Dog Officer	200.00
High School Building Loan	4,797.50
Board of Registrars	592.98
W. P. A.	4,922.23
Clerical Services	105.00
Addition to Shawsheen School Building	105.00
Shawsheen School Building Loan	2,075.00
Tax Title Foreclosures	392.31
Motor Excise Refund	106.11
Civilian Defense	800.87
Sealer of Weights and Measures	211.53
Maintenance of Stadium and Athletics	255.71
Foster School Fund	10.45
Special Appropriation for Purchase of Fire Hose	702.10
Real Estate Tax Refund	86.01
Construction of Sidewalks from Chandler St. to St. Williams Church	999.85
Municipal Building Insurance Fund	1,500.00
Cemetery Trust Funds	37.88
Total Expenditures	$297,199.60
Cash in Bank	58,219.34
Treasurer's Receipts	$355,418.94

NOTE: No expenditures have been made from the following appropriations:

New Fire Truck	$ 5,500.00
Additional Electric Lights	162.00
Previous bills for High School Athletics	169.21

RESERVE FUND

Appropriation		$ 5,000.00
Transferred by vote of Finance Committee:		
To Civilian Defense Account	$ 250.00	
To Old Age Assistance	1,500.00	
To Incidental Account	150.00	
To Fire Department	377.00	
To Highway Department	500.00	
		$ 2,777.00
Balance reverted to Town Treasury		$ 2,223.00

TRUST FUNDS

Condition of Trust Funds, Dec. 31, 1942:	
Municipal Building Insurance Fund	$ 20,311.72
Foster School Fund	1,142.55
William Prindle (Pringle) Cemetery Fund	100.00
Ebenezer Page Cemetery Fund	406.31
Louisa Bridges Cemetery Fund	170.46
Samuel Jaques Cemetery Fund	121.12
Jeremiah Kittredge Cemetery Fund	121.14
Peter Clark Cemetery Fund	100.00
Martha Shedd Cemetery Fund	659.57
Dr. George A. Peirce Fund	104.47

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of all Town Officials who are authorized to receive and expend money, for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1942, and to the best of my knowledge they are correct, with proper vouchers on file, and $58,219.34 in the Treasury.

ROBERT E. GAY,
Town Auditor.

Personally appeared before me on this 19th day of January, 1942, Robert E. Gay, Town Auditor, and made oath that the foregoing statements are correct.

THOMAS F. FLYNN,
Justice of the Peace.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash Balance January 3, 1942	$ 40,801.61
Loans in Anticipation of Revenue	45,000.00
Loans in Anticipation of Highway Reimbursement	10,000.00

TAXES

1935 Account:		
Excise	$	7.60
Interest		.40
Poll		2.00
1936 Account:		
Demands	$	.70
Excise		17.94
Interest		23.05
Personal		54.28
Poll		6.00
1937 Account:		
Demands	$	.35
Excise		16.96
Interest		5.22
Poll		6.00
1938 Account:		
Demands	$	1.40
Interest		10.88
Personal		33.92
Poll		16.00
Real Estate		.64
1939 Account:		
Demands	$	5.95
Excise		4.00
Interest		49.53
Personal		37.66
Poll		20.00
Real Estate		189.20

1940 Account:		
Demands	$ 80.55	
Excise	4.00	
Interest	459.60	
Personal	549.61	
Poll	22.00	
Real Estate	7,189.65	
1941 Account:		
Demands	$ 25.55	
Excise	377.21	
Interest	447.93	
Personal	864.49	
Poll	24.00	
Real Estate	15,595.51	
1942 Account:		
Demands	$ 101.50	
Excise	6,652.91	
Interest	42.75	
Personal	63,615.61	
Poll	1,958.00	
Real Estate	62,825.44	
		$161,345.99

TAX TITLES

Tax Titles Redeemed	$ 4,198.98		
Partial Payments	499.59		
		$	5,698.57
Land Owned by the Town Sold	$ 554.00	$	554.00
Foreclosed Tax Titles, Lands of Low Value sold	767.49		767.49

HIGHWAYS

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:		
Highway Chapter 81	$ 9,069.20	
Highway Contract No. 3642	21.80	
Highway Chapter 90, Construction North St.	3,517.52	
Highway Chapter 90, Maintenance	2,000.00	
Highway Snow Removal	17.00	
Hire of Town Roller, Central Construction Company, Lawrence	100.00	
		$ 14,725.52

Middlesex County:

Highway Maintenance Various Roads	$ 2,000.00	
Highway Chapter 90, Construction North St.	1,758.76	
		$ 3,758.76

HIGHWAY FUND

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:		
Distribution of Highway Fund, Acts of 1941	$ 9,632.19	$ 9,632.19

PUBLIC WELFARE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:		
Aid to Dependent Children	$ 2,044.84	
Aid to Dependent Children, Federal Grant	2,425.55	
Old Age Assistance	9,965.00	
Old Age Assistance, Federal Grants	13,140.42	
Temporary Aid	2,845.60	
Old Age Assistance, Reimbursement, Other Cities and Towns	936.92	
Public Welfare, Reimbursement, Other Cities and Towns	309.68	
		$ 31,668.01

STATE AND MILITARY AID

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:		
State Aid	$ 120.00	$ 120.00

REIMBURSEMENTS

Individuals	$ 352.37	
Middlesex County, Care of Dogs	.64.50	
		$ 416.87

POLICE

District Court of Lowell, Fines, etc.	$ 35.69	
Chief Cyril L. Barker, Gun Permits	10.50	
		$ 46.19

PUBLIC LIBRARY

Middlesex County:

Dog License Money Refunded	$ 626.74	
Abbie M. Blaisdell, Librarian, Sale of Cards, Fines, etc.	6.00	
		$ 632.74

SCHOOLS

City of Boston, Supplies, etc.	$ 1,589.32	$ 1,589.32

TOWN HALL

Rent of Town Hall	$ 115.00	$ 115.00

TAXES (STATE)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:

Corporations	$ 3,518.35	
Gas, Electric Light & Water Corporations	1,351.87	
Income Tax	16,310.00	
Reimbursement Loss of Taxes	3,156.71	
Department of Public Health	521.42	
Distribution of Meal Tax	157.61	
		$ 25,015.96

TRUST FUNDS (INTEREST)

Martha Shedd Fund	$ 12.00	
Ebenezer Page Fund	10.00	
William Pringle Fund	4.47	
Louisa Bridges Fund	3.00	
Samuel Jacques Fund	3.00	
Jeremiah Kittredge	3.00	
Peter Clark Fund	2.41	
Foster School Fund	28.65	
		$ 66.53

TOWN CLERK

H. Louis Farmer, Jr., Town Clerk, Dog Licenses	$ 1.80	
H. Louis Farmer, Jr., Town Clerk, Fees and Licenses	66.48	
Alice A. Pike, Town Clerk, Dog Licenses	795.20	
Alice A. Pike, Town Clerk, Fees and Licenses	481.70	
		$ 1,345.18

LIQUOR LICENSES

Collected by the Town Treasurer	$ 1,800.00	$ 1,800.00

MISCELLANEOUS

Alice A. Pike, Money due Town, 1937 Account	$ 6.63	
Advertising (Various)	24.81	
Beer Permits, 1 day	13.50	
Other Permits, Miscellaneous	25.50	
Director of Standards	12.00	
License for Slaughter House	10.00	
Milk Permits: Store, Dealers, Pasteurization	59.50	
Care of Dog	1.50	
Sale of Supplies (Lavatory and Medical)	1.44	
Sale of Machine	3.00	
Sale of Watering Cart	30.00	
Sale of Maps of the Town	2.00	
Sale of Manual Training Supplies	29.58	
Sealer of Weights and Measures, Fees	22.77	
Stephen G. Bean, Cash Collected for Books Destroyed	4.21	
Cyril L. Barker, Keeping of Deserter	.75	
Use of Telephone	5.45	
Telephone Toll Calls:		
Duncan J. Cameron	10.70	
Irving F. French	2.95	
Robert E. Gay	5.80	
A. S. Haines (1941)	9.50	
A. S. Haines (1942)	7.10	
Hinton's Service Station	24.30	
George A. Marshall	1.25	
Alice A. Pike	4.77	
		$ 319.01
Total Money Received		$355,418.94

CREDIT

Addition to Shawsheen School Building	$ 105.00
Aid to Dependent Children, Town Appropriation	4,492.82
Aid to Dependent Children, Federal Grants	2,226.00
Aid to Dependent Children, Federal Grants, Administration	43.13
Aid, State and Military	1,492.50
Assessors	2,855.74
Board of Registrars	592.98
Collection of Taxes	999.54
Clerical Assistance to Treasurer	105.00
Civilian Defense	800.87
Dog Officer's Account	200.00
Fire Department	5,377.00
Purchase of Hose	702.10
Foreclosure of Tax Titles	392,31
General	94,992.79
Board of Health	1,412.46
High School Building Loan	4,797.50
Highways	6,899.92
Highways, Chapter 81	15,850.85
Highways, Chapter 90 Maintenance	5,512.12
Highways, Chapter 90 Construction North St.	1,731.40
Highway Machinery Fund	3,937.18
Construction of Sidewalk	999.85
4-H Club	2.48
Incidentals	1,033.51
Interest	123.34
Inspection of Meats and Animals	700.00
Janitor and Fuel	8,867.73
Library	1,924.32
Maintenance of Athletic Field & Structures, etc.	255.71
Maintenance of Legion Hall	80.19
Medical Inspection	230.00
Memorial Day	318.75
Moth Department	1,499.29
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Refund	106.11
Old Age Assistance, Town Appropriation	14,498.39
Old Age Assistance, Federal Grants	12,998.10
Old Age Assistance, Federal Grants Adm. only	376.20
Parks and Commons	237.18
Police Department	9,921.58
Real Estate Tax Refund	86.01
Shawsheen School Building Loan	2,075.00
Salaries	6,629.00

Schools: School Books and Supplies	2,595.80	
Schools: School Houses	1,734.45	
Schools: School Miscellany	2,722.32	
Schools: School Nurse	1,333.28	
Schools: Supervision	877.56	
Schools: Teachers	31,740.61	
Schools: Massachusetts Retirement Fund (Teachers)	1,358.25	
Sealer of Weights and Measures	211.53	
Stationery and Printing	1,180.17	
Street Lighting	6,196.13	
Transportation	8,540.00	
Tree Warden	1,486.44	
Town Hall	2,806.60	
Trust Funds: Cemetery	37.88	
Trust Funds: Foster School	10.45	
Trust Funds: Municipal Buildings Insurance	1,500.00	
Vocational Schools	1,008.89	
Welfare (Public)	8,455.06	
W. P. A.	4,922.23	
		$297,199.60
Total Money Received	$355,418,94	
Total Money Paid Out	297,199.60	
Cash on hand and in Union National Bank of Lowell	$ 58,219.34	

ASSETS

Money due the Town:		
Public Welfare Other Cities and Towns	$ 312.22	
Old Age Assistance other Cities and Towns	430.05	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts:		
Public Welfare	$ 367.40	
Old Age Assistance	4,724.78	
Aid to Dependent Children	1,853.00	
Highways Chapter 81	530.80	
Outstanding Taxes	26,985.51	
Cash on hand and balance deposited in Union National Bank of Lowell	58,219.34	
		$ 93,423.10

LIABILITIES

High School Loan: Notes Nos. 153 to 177 inc.	$ 25,000.00	
Reimbursement Loan Note No. 245 Due Feb. 19, 1943	10,000.00	
Addition to Shawsheen School Building Loan Notes Nos. 237 to 240 inc.	8,000.00	
		$ 43,000.00
Total Assets		$ 93,423.10
Total Liabilities		43,000.00
Balance in favor of the Town		$ 50,423.10

TRUST FUNDS

Municipal Bldgs. Ins. January 1, 1942	$ 18,468.91	
Int. Received on Deposits in Savings Banks	342.81	
Total Amount Deposited in Savings Banks, Jan. 1, 1943		$ 18,811.72
Registered War Savings Bonds (2) bought with Appropriation of 1942	$ 1,500.00	1,500.00
Total Amount of Fund January 1, 1943		$ 20,311.72
Foster School Fund		$ 1,142.55
Cemetery (Seven)		$ 1,678.60
George A. Peirce		$ 104.47
Tax Titles held by the Town		$ 7,847.31

FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE TOWN LAST TEN YEARS

		Tax Rate
1934 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st	$ 10,283.39	$ 30.00
1935 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st	4,256.33	29.60
1936 Balance against the Town Jan. 1st	40,363.11	33.30
1937 Balance against the Town Jan. 1st	26,172.22	33.40
1938 Balance against the Town Jan. 1st	3,502.38	32.00
1939 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st	5,595.52	29.30
1940 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st	670.60	29.60
1941 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st	2,774.55	28.20
1942 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st	21,858.40	28.20
1943 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st	50,423.10	

RATE PAID ON A. R. NOTES YEAR OF 1942

A. R. Notes Nos. 243 and 244 borrowed at .42% at maturity.
Reimbursement Loan Note No. 245 borrowed at .55% discounted.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE A. MARSHALL,
Town Treasurer.

TABLE OF ESTIMATES FOR 1942

Street Lighting	$ 6,300.00
Incidentals	1,200.00
Highways	17,000.00
Schools	62,746.00
Library (Dog Tax)	1,300.00
Police	10,127.40
Stationery and Printing	1,200.00
Board of Health	3,500.00
Park Commission	300.00
Tree Warden	2,000.00
Department of Public Welfare	8,000.00
Aid to Dependent Children (Plus Federal Grants)	4,500.00
Bureau of Old Age Assistance (Plus Federal Grants)	16,000.00
Fire Department	10,329.50
Town Hall	3,500.00
Assessors	3,000.00
Vocational School	1,500.00
Inspection of Meat and Animals	900.00
Aid, State and Military	2,500.00
Interest on Loans	600.00
Collection of Taxes	1,000.00
Municipal Insurance	1,500.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	225.00
Dog Officer ($100 of this amount for the keeping of dogs)	300.00
Maintenance, Legion Headquarters	125.00
Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths	2,000.00
Board of Registrars	750.00

SALARY ACCOUNT

Auditor	$ 700.00
Town Clerk (exclusive of fees)	750.00
Tax Collector	1,850.00
Selectmen	1,100.00
Election Officers	36.00
School Committee	225.00
Road Commissioners	400.00
Treasurer	1,500.00

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF APPRAISERS

Moth and Tree Warden Departments

January 1, 1943	$ 1,327.70
January 1, 1942	1,110.70
Net Gain	$ 217.00

Highway Department

January 1, 1943	$ 10,966.57
January 1, 1942	9,382.88
Net Gain	$ 1,583.69

W. P. A. Project

1 Dodge Truck (1936)	$ 200.00
1 Ford Truck (1935)	200.00
1 Chevrolet	300.00
Sewing Machines and Equipment	250.00
Wheelbarrow	12.00
1 Conant Loader	400.00
Miscellaneous	100.00
January 1, 1943	$ 1,462.00
January 1, 1942	1,537.00
Net Loss	75.00

IRVING F. FRENCH,

BERNARD H. GREENE,

DUNCAN J. CAMERON,

Appraisers.

REPORT OF THE TAX COLLECTOR

1931 Real Estate Account		
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	$ 10.80	$ 10.80
Abated during 1942	10.80	10.80
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
1932 Real Estate Account		
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	6.65	6.65
Abated during 1942	6.65	6.65
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
1933 Real Estate Account		
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	3.22	3.22
Abated during 1942	3.22	3.22
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
1934 Accounts		
Real Estate Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	10.27	10.27
Real Estate Abated during 1942	10.27	10.27
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Excise Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	7.85	7.85
Excise Taxes Abated during 1942	7.85	7.85
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
1935 Accounts		
Real Estate Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	10.23	10.23
Real Estate Abated during 1942	10.23	10.23
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Poll Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	20.00	20.00
Poll Taxes Collected during 1942	2.00	
Poll Taxes Abated during 1942	18.00	
	20.00	20.00
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Excise Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	94.50	94.50

Excise Taxes Collected during 1942	7.60	
Excise Taxes Abated during 1942	86.90	
	94.50	94.50
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Interest Collected during 1942	0.40	0.40

1936 Accounts

Estate Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	157.96	157.96
Estate Taxes collected during 1942	54.28	
Estate Taxes Abated during 1942	103.68	
	157.96	157.96
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Poll Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	40.00	40.00
Poll Taxes Collected during 1942	6.00	
Poll Taxes Abated during 1942	34.00	
	40.00	40.00
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Excise Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	71.35	71.35
Excise Taxes Collected during 1942	17.94	
Excise Taxes Abated during 1942	45.34	
	63.28	63.28
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		8.07
Interest Collected during 1942	23.05	
Costs Collected during 1942	0.70	
Total Collected	23.75	23.75

1937 Accounts

Estate Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	113.84	113.84
Estate Taxes Abated during 1942	113.84	113.84
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Poll Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	50.00	50.00

Poll Taxes Collected during 1942	6.00	
Poll Taxes Abated during 1942	44.00	
	50.00	50.00
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Excise Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	99.57	99.57
Excise Taxes Collected during 1942	16.96	
Excise Taxes Abated during 1942	82.61	
	99.57	99.57
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Interest Collected during 1942	5.22	
Costs Collected during 1942	.35	
Total Collected	5.57	5.57

1938 Accounts

Estate Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	150.88	150.88
Estate Taxes Collected during 1942	34.56	
Estate Taxes Abated during 1942	116.32	
	150.88	150.88
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Poll Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	192.00	192.00
Poll Taxes Collected during 1942	16.00	
Poll Taxes Abated during 1942	176.00	
	192.00	192.00
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Excise Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	48.01	48.01
Excise Taxes Abated during 1942	48.01	48.01
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Interest Collected during 1942	10.88	
Costs Collected during 1942	1.40	
Total Collected	12.28	12.28

1939 Accounts		
Personal Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	52.96	52.96
Personal Taxes Collected during 1942	37.66	
Personal Taxes Abated during 1942	15.30	
	52.96	52.96
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Real Estate Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	817.51	817.51
Real Estate Taxes Collected during 1942	189.20	
Collected by Tax Takings during 1942	452.55	
Abated during 1942	175.76	
	817.51	817.51
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Poll Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	200.00	200.00
Poll Taxes Collected during 1942	20.00	
Poll Taxes Abated during 1942	178.00	
	198.00	198.00
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		2.00
Excise Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	84.11	84.11
Excise Taxes Collected during 1942	4.00	
Excise Taxes Abated during 1942	80.11	
	84.11	84.11
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Interested Collected during 1942	49.53	
Costs Collected during 1942	5.95	
	55.48	55.48
1940 Accounts		
Personal Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	570.93	570.93
Personal Taxes Collected during 1942	549.61	
Personal Taxes Abated during 1942	21.32	
	570.93	570.93
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none

Real Estate Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	8,476.33	8,476.33
Real Estate Taxes Collected during 1942	7,189.65	
Collected by Tax Takings during 1942	1,052.90	
Abated during 1942	233.78	
	8,476.33	8,476.33
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Poll Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	196.00	196.00
Poll Taxes Collected during 1942	22.00	
Poll Taxes Abated during 1942	174.00	
	196.00	196.00
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Excise Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	42.28	42.28
Excise Taxes Collected during 1942	4.00	
Excise Taxes Abated during 1942	38.28	
	42.28	42.28
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Interest Collected during 1942	459.60	
Costs Collected during 1942	80.55	
Total Collected	540.15	540.15

1941 Accounts

Personal Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	885.64	885.64
Personal Taxes Collected during 1942	864.49	864.49
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		21.15
Real Estate Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	22,939.45	22,939.45
Real Estate Taxes Collected during 1942	15,595.51	
Collected by Tax Taking during 1942	1,067.32	
Abated during 1942	218.16	
	16,880.99	16,880.99
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		6,058.46
Poll Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	204.00	204.00

Poll Taxes Collected during 1942	24.00	
Poll Taxes Abated during 1942	178.00	
	202.00	202.00
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		2.00
Excise Taxes Outstanding Jan. 1, 1942	460.43	
Warrants during 1943 for 1942 Taxes	27.60	
Refunds during 1942	10.73	
	498.76	498.76
Excise Taxes Collected during 1942	377.21	
Excise Taxes Abated during 1942	108.82	
	486.03	486.03
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		12.73
Interest Collected during 1942	447.93	
Costs Collected during 1942	25.55	
Total Collected	473.48	473.48

1942 Accounts

1942 Personal Tax Warrant	64,277.33	64,277.33
Personal Taxes Collected during 1942	63,615.61	
Personal Taxes Abated during 1942	14.10	
	63,629.71.	63,629.71
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		647.62
Real Estate Warrants during 1942	85,008.30	
Refunds during 1942	86.01	
	85,094.31	85,094.31
Real Estate Taxes Collected during 1942	62,825.44	
Real Estate Taxes Abated during 1942	533.71	
Real Estate Added to Tax Titles 1942	1,655.47	
	65,014.59	65,014.59
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		20,079.72

Poll Tax Warrants during 1942	2,292.00	2,292.00
Poll Taxes Collected during 1942	1,958.00	
Poll Taxes Abated during 1942	310.00	
	2,268.00	2,268.00
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		24.00
Excise Warrants during 1942	6,934.72	
Refunds during 1942	95.38	
	7,030.10	7,030.10
Excise Taxes Collected during 1942	6,652.91	
Excise Taxes Abated during 1942	247.43	
	6,900.34	6,900.34
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		129.76
Interest Collected during 1942	42.75	
Costs Collected during 1942	101.50	
Total	144.25	144.25
Total Cash Collected during 1942 and turned over to the Treasurer	$161,345.99	
Collected Thru Tax Takings 1942	4,228.24	
Total Amount Collected during 1942	$165,574.23	$165,574.23

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY C. DAWSON,

Tax Collector.

REPORT OF THE ROAD COMMISSIONERS AND SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

Board of Selectmen,
Tewksbury, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The following is our report for the year ending December 31, 1942.

CHAPTER 81, AND GENERAL HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE

The usual highway maintenance was carried out this year, which includes the graveling, tarring and patching, with bituminous materials, of our various streets and those that come under our Chapter 81 contract.

This year considerable work was done in scraping and widening, as well as cutting back dangerous embankments. We were fortunate in being able to hire a power grader from the Town of Tyngsboro for this work. The use of this grader proved most economical and a great improvement over the old method.

The following streets have been scraped and widened:

Maple Street	Pine Street
Ballard Street	Brown Street
Lowe Street	Lake Street
Cross Street No. 1	School Street
Cross Street No. 2	Pratt Street
Shawsheen Street	Pike Street
Carter Street	Astle Street
Livingston Street	Glenwood Road
Chandler Street	Oak Street
South Street	Bridge Street
Kendall Street	Rogers Street
Fisk Street	North Street
Trull Road	Billerica Road
Sunnyslope Avenue	Vale Street
Andover Street	Whipple Road

Bounds were set up on North Street from the corner of North and Livingston Street to East Street; Pinedale Avenue from Salem Road to Idlewild Road; Idlewild Road from Pinedale Avenue to County Road, and on Oak Street from South Street to White Street.

Work on the Farm to Market Roads, a W. P. A. Project, was continued the first part of the year. Gravel was applied to Pratt Street, Oak Street, Pinedale Avenue. Dudley Road, Court Street, Wilson Road and Kittredge Avenue. We regret that this project has been discontinued as it has proven most beneficial to this town, while under the supervision of Mr. King.

Fifty-six signs, which include route signs, street signs, town-line signs and large direction signs, have been repaired, scraped and lettered by this department this year.

Due to the increase of living expenses we felt we should increase the salary of all our employees. On June first we increased their wages ten cents per hour, which amounted to approximately $1400 from that time until December thirty-first.

This fall, while doing construction work on North Street, we found it impossible to operate our roller any longer without having it completely overhauled. We had a mechanic from the Buffalo-Springfield Roller Company of Boston look it over and give us an estimate of what it would cost to put this machine in perfect operating condition. This mechanic listed the requirements and estimated the cost of parts and labor at approximately $1500. He also stated that when all of this work was completed the roller should give us at least ten years service with little or no additional expense.

As you know a roller is an absolute necessity for almost any kind of road work, and as it is impossible to hire one, we have taken it to their plant to be repaired. We were very fortunate in having it there before December first as the Government, on that date, placed a restriction on all repairing not to exceed 5% of the cost of any machine. In our case we would not be allowed to have a repair bill over $300, or in other words, the town would be without a roller until this restriction was removed.

We have a balance of $760.60 on our Machinery Fund at the present time and we can not begin to build up this fund again until we commence work under Chapter 81, which will probably be sometime in March. We are, therefore, asking for an appropriation of $1500 to be added to our Machinery Fund which will enable us to pay for the repairing of this roller.

This roller was purchased new in February 1929 and has given us very good service until recently. For the past eight years approximately $580.00 has been turned into the Town Treasury for the outside rental of this machine.

Due to the increase of salaries and the snow and icy conditions, during the latter part of December, we were obliged to ask the Finance Board for $500 to cover our labor expenses. This request

was granted and our department appreciates the courtesy extended by the Finance Board.

This is the first time in seven years that our department has had to ask for any additional aid, and we want to mention the fact at this time that we turned back to the Treasury last year the sum of $593.90, which was the unexpended balance of our Highway appropriation.

The following tables give the amount of material used on the various streets during the past year. Tar shown delivered to the Town Yard was used in mixing patch.

TAR, SAND, PEA GRAVEL AND WASHED SAND

Street	Tar Gals.	Sand Cu. Yds.	Pea Gravel Tons	Washed Sand Tons
Maple Street	1743	60		
Cross Street	976	30		
State Street	500	18		
Lake Street	500	20		
Vale Street	998	32		
South Street	500	20		
School Street	500	18		
Lowe Street	1182	40		
Livingston Street	3012	96		
Carter Street	326	28		
Glenwood Road	326	10		
North Street	12406		779.35	166.85
Willow Street	328	10		
River Road	1501	74		
Hill Street	1288	46		
Pringle Street	1181	38		
Marshall Street	1440	44		
Whiteman Street	1022	30		
Rogers Street	5489		180.35	112.49
Shawsheen Street	3584	120		
Whipple Road	7159		161.25	153.30
Chandler Street	1421	54		
Clark Road	3957		138.15	
Billerica Road	2045		124.65	20.05
Fiske Street	1511	52		
Trull Street	2543	70		
Pike Street	1020	30		
Veranda Avenue	500	16		
Littlefield Avenue	511	20		
Town Yard	1508	420		

GRAVEL

Street	Cu. Yds.	Street	Cu. Yds.
North Street	80	Barker Road	338
Livingston Street	96	Glenwood Road	314
Shawsheen Street	110	Pinedale Street	116
Whiteman Road	84	Rosemary Road	138
Astle Street	16	Andover Street	88
Forest Avenue	216	Trull Street	10
Kittridge Street	526	Donnelly Road	260
Court Street	28	River Road	32
Marsden Street	34	Mississippi Road	8
Chandler Street	44	East Street	26
Elm Street	136	Pringle Street	10
Oak Street	18	School Street	60
MacLaren Road	16	Kendall Road	92
Woburn Street	95	Dubuque Avenue	94
Jefferson Street	156	Vernon Street	14
Nichols Street	66	Sidewalk Project	140

CHAPTER 90 CONSTRUCTION, NORTH STREET

This year the State and County did not appropriate any money for Chapter 90 Construction work, therefore, the only work done under this chapter was a continuation from 1941. This construction started at the corner of Livingston Street and North Street and continued to the residence of Mr. Patten.

CHAPTER 90 MAINTENANCE

The usual maintenance of Chapter 90 Highways was carried out under the provisions of this allotment. All of our Chapter 90 Streets are in excellent condition.

Under the recommendation of the State a new surface treatment was used on these streets. This treatment consisted of an application of tar and pea gravel which was then mixed and leveled by a power grader. Washed sand was next applied as a binder, and a thorough rolling completed the work.

This surface treatment was used on North Street from Main Street to Andover Street, a distance of 12,050 feet. Approximately 780 tons of pea gravel and 167 tons of washed sand was used. Billerica Road, from the Billerica Line to Glendale Avenue, a distance of 1900 feet received this application also. 125 tons of pea gravel and 20 tons of washed sand was used. Clark Road was likewise treated from Main Street to the Lowell Line, a distance of about 5300 feet. 138 tons of

pea gravel was used here. 181 tons of pea gravel was applied on Whipple Road from the corner of Chandler Street to Patten Street. We are of the opinion that this new surface treatment will prove most satisfactory.

SIDEWALK APPROPRIATION

This appropriation provided for a sidewalk to be constructed from Chandler Street to St. William's Church. Numerous trees and boulders had to be removed. The foundation of this sidewalk consists of a ten inch filling of gravel. Bituminous Concrete to a depth of three inches was then applied. This sidewalk is approximately 1350 feet long and 5 feet wide. A retaining wall 300 feet long was erected in front of the residence of Mr. Lundquist. This sidewalk will be properly graded and receive a smoothing coat of bitominos concrete as soon as weather permits.

For a financial report of this department, we refer you to the Auditor's report of Highway Expenditures.

In closing this report, our appreciation and thanks are extended to our Board of Selectmen, Finance Committee, State and County Officials and Engineers, for their co-operation and untiring assistance.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS P. SAWYER,

CHESTER M. ROPER,

LOUIS O. BERUBE,

Road Commissioners
of Tewksbury.

RICHARD F. O'NEILL,
Superintendent of Streets.

In Memoriam

PERCY LEWIS HAINES

Died December 5, 1942

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Served as Assessor

1938—1942

ASSESSORS' REPORT

Value of Land excluding Buildings Jan. 1, 1942	$ 856,960.00
Value of Buildings	2,155,570.00
Value of Personal Property	2,279,336.00
Value of Property December Assessment	1,900.00
Total Valuation for 1942	5,291,886.00
Total Valuation for 1941	5,337,489.00
Loss in Valuation	45,603.00

TAX LEVY FOR 1942

State Tax	$ 11,100.00	
State Parks	204.99	
State Audit	882.01	12,187.00
County Tax	5,794.78	
County Hospital	1,208.01	
Underestimates	45.47	7,048.26
Overlays 1942	5,056.41	5,056.41
		$ 24,291.67

TOWN APPROPRIATIONS

Street Lighting	$ 6,200.00
Incidentals	1,000.00
Highways	16,000.00
Schools	60,000.00
Library (Dog Tax)	1,300.00
Police	10,141.00
Stationery and Printing	1,200.00
Board of Health	3,500.00
Park Commission	250.00
Tree Warden	1,500.00
Department of Public Welfare	10,000.00
Aid Dependent Children (Plus Fed. Grants)	4,500.00
Bureau Old Age Assist. (Plus Fed. Grants)	13,000.00
Fire Department	5,000.00
Town Hall	3,500.00
Assessors	3,000.00

Vocational School	1,500.00	
Inspection Meats and Animals	700.00	
Aid, State and Military	2,000.00	
Interest on Loans	800.00	
Collection of Taxes	1,000.00	
Municipal Insurance	1,500.00	
Sealer Weights and Measures	225.00	
Dog Officer	200.00	
Maintenance, Legion Headquarters	125.00	
Gypsy and Brown Tail Moth	1,500.00	
Board of Registrars	750.00	
Auditor	700.00	
Town Clerk (Exclusive of Town Fees)	750.00	
Tax Collector	1,850.00	
Selectmen	1,100.00	
Election Officers	110.00	
School Committee	225.00	
Road Commissioners	400.00	
Treasurer	1,500.00	
Observance of Memorial Day	350.00	
Foreclosure Tax Titles	500.00	
Chapter 90, Highways	2,000.00	
Over Drafts (High School Department)	169.21	
Works Project Administration	5,000.00	
Install Two Lights (Woburn Street)	36.00	
Install One Light (Fiske Street)	18.00	
Install Lights (Chandler's Cor. to St. William's)	54.00	
Install One Light (Pleasant Street)	18.00	
Install One Light (Cor. School & Park Sts. Another cor. Parker Ave. & Green St.)	36.00	
County Aid Agriculture	50.00	
Sidewalk (Chandler St. to St. William's)	1,000.00	
Civilian Defense Committee	700.00	
Clerical Services (Town Treasurer)	200.00	
Maintenance Athletic Field and Athletics (High School)	350.00	
Reserve Fund Chap. 40, Sec. 6	5,000.00	
Fire Truck 2½ Ton Chassis and Cab	5,500.00	
Fire Hose	800.00	
High School Loan and Interest	4,797.50	
Shawsheen School Loan and Interest	2,075.00	$ 185,679.71
Total Amount to be Raised		209,971.38

ESTIMATE RECEIPTS AND AVAILABLE FUNDS

Over Estimates on State Parks	$ 10.08	
Income Tax	14,144.11	
Corporation Taxes	3,138.43	
Reimbursement State Owned Land	3,156.71	
Motor Vehicle Excise	4,500.00	
Licenses	4,185.31	
Fines	17.14	
Charities other than Federal Aid to Dependent Children	4,000.00	
Old Age Assistance	6,356.70	
General Government	5,115.52	
Schools	1,370.25	
Libraries	3.59	
Interest: On Taxes and Assessments	1,488.59	
Estimated Receipts from Gas Tax	9,632.19	
Health and Sanitation	1,030.71	
Total		$ 58,449.33
Net Amount to be Raised on Property	$ 149,232.05	
Net Amount to be Raised on Polls	2,290.00	
December Assessment	53.58	
Total Amount to be Raised		$ 151,575.63

AUTO EXCISE TAX

Total Valuation on Automobiles		$ 205,980.00
Amount of Warrants to Collector	$ 6,962.32	
Amount Taken as Estimated Revenue	4,500.00	
Amount Abated	745.35	
		1,716.97

TABLE OF AGGREGATES

Number of Dwelling Houses Assessed	1,348
Number of Acres of Land Assessed	11,495
Horses	58
Cows	679
Neat Cattle	89
Swine	551
Fowl	16,215
All Other	52
Persons Assessed	2,028

EXEMPTED PROPERTY

Catholic Literary Association	$ 3,500.00	
Congregation Basai Shalon	2,250.00	
First Baptist Society	14,100.00	
First Congregational Church	42,700.00	
Good Samaritan Mission, Inc. of Mass.	1,900.00	
Ladies Shawsheen Camping Club	1,035.00	
Lowell High School Alumni Association	700.00	
Oblate Fathers O. M. I.	33,300.00	
Pine Hill Cemetery	1,000.00	
Roman Catholic Archbishop	77,000.00	
Seraphic Seminary Mt. St. Francis	500.00	
Silver Lake Evangelical Asso., Inc.	17,000.00	
South Tewksbury M. E. Mission	5,500.00	
Tewksbury Cemetery Corporation	12,100.00	
Women's Home and Foreign Mission Soc. A. C. D.	100.00	
Total		$ 212.685.00

TOWN AND STATE PROPERTY EXEMPT

Cemeteries (Real Estate)	$ 2,300.00	
Fire Protection, Land Reserved for	1,700.00	
Highways (Real Estate and Personal)	13,100.00	
Moth Dept. (Real Estate and Personal)	2,200.00	
Public Parks (Real Estate)	500.00	
Schools (Real Estate and Personal)	230,000.00	
Sealer Weights and Measure (Personal)	1,500.00	
Town Hall (Real Estate and Personal)	83,000.00	
Fire Dept. (Real Estate and Personal)	25,000.00	
Police Department (Personal)	1,000.00	
Public Library (Personal)	12,000.00	
Scales (Personal)	400.00	
Total		$ 372,700.00
Property of Commonwealth of Mass. Chap. 59 Sec. 5		
Personal	$ 300,000.00	
Buildings	4,000,000.00	
Total		$ 4,300,000.00

Respectfully submitted,

BUZZELL KING,
AUSTIN F. FRENCH,
Board of Assessors.

TEWKSBURY POLICE DEPARTMENT
1942

CYRIL L. BARKER, Chief

DANIEL D. STERLING*
LAUCHIE McPHAIL
JOSEPH A. VIVIER
JAMES MANLEY*
DANIEL J. SHEEHAN
ARTHUR LaFLEUR*
ROSS SARGENT
GEORGE M. HAZEL
GEORGE A. GALE
JEREMIAH HOULIHAN
JACK GRANEY
C. ABBOTT BATTLES

TEWKSBURY AUXILIARY POLICE DEPARTMENT

DIVISION 1

Mark Roper (Officer in Charge)

J. Harper Gale
John A. MacLellan
George J. McCoy
Louis Small
William Smith
Edwin Thorensen
William Scarlett

DIVISION 2

Herbert L. Trull (Officer in Charge)

Harold Smith
Wallace A. Fiske
Frank Johnson
John D. Scott
Stephen Scribner

DIVISION 3

Philip Battles (Officer in Charge)

Harold Carson
Cornelius L. Glen
Walter Jop
Roy Lanner
Robert Martin
Roy H. Pennock
John A. Trull

DIVISION 4

Edwin Osterman (Officer in Charge)

Winthrop Bean
Victor N. Cluff
Percy L. Haines (Deceased)
Uel H. Kinney
Enoch Lunn
John Furtado

DIVISION 5

Philip W. Rounsevell (Officer in Charge)

Howard Collins
Merton Curtis
Clifford Greeno
Hugh McPhee
George O'Connell
Thomas D. Ray*
Robert C. Renfrew
James J. Sampson*
George Tolstrup

NOTE—*Serving with the Armed Forces of the United States

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE

December 31, 1942

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I respectfully submit the annual report of the Tewksbury Police Department as follows:

Drunkenness	41
Assault and Battery	3
Non-support	3
Stubborn child	1
Carrying dangerous weapons	1
Safe-keeping	3
Desertion from U. S. Navy	1
Larceny	5
Motor Vehicle Violations	5
Operating under Influence of Liquor	2
Absconding from Tewksbury State Hospital and Infirmary	2
Delinquency	3
Cruelty to Animals	2
Violation of State Milk Laws	4
House wiring without license	1
Collecting junk without license	1
Burning building to defraud	1
Total	79

Disposition of cases:

Lowell District Court

Guilty	74
Guilty and held for Superior Court	4
Not Guilty	0
Released by Probation Officer	5
Committed to House of Correction or State Farm	19
Fined	15
Filed	24
Probation or suspension of same	11
Cases pending	0

Superior Court Cambridge

Guilty	3
Not guilty	0
Committed to House of Correction	2
Filed	1
Cases pending	0

District Court Sessions Attended	79
Superior Court Sessions Attended	6
Civil Sessions, District Court	11
Civil Sessions, Superior Court	3
United States District Court	1
Federal Court, Boston	2
For other departments	2
Number of telephone calls received at office	5,510
Number of telephone calls received at Chief's home	3,162
Complaints received	669
Automobile accidents investigated	54
Summonses served	50
Investigations for Selective Service Board	22
Public functions policed	74
Funerals policed	11
Messages delivered	121
Dogs struck by autos reported to this office	17
Dog bite cases reported to this office	12
Sudden deaths investigated	11
Doors, windows found open, etc.	23
Snow and ice conditions on highways reported	4
Admitted to Tewksbury State Hospital and Infirmary by this office	35
Lights out, poles—wires, down	108
With Lowell Humane Society on Investigations	6
Missing persons reported by other departments	41
Missing persons in Tewksbury	18
Cars reported stolen by other departments	79
Hearings held at office	16
Investigations for other Police Departments	38
Investigations with Agent of M.S.P.C.C.	6
Registration plates checked	7
Cases transported for Local Welfare Department	16
Fires policed	13
Stolen automobiles recovered	11
Registration plates picked up	7
Cars stolen in Tewksbury	8

Merchandise recovered	$5,280.35
Investigations for Federal Bureau of Investigation	44
Auto transfers for the year	98
Revolver permits issued	21
Black-outs policed	5
Alert Signals received from First Army Fighter Command, Boston	28

Your attention should be called to the formation of an Auxiliary Police Department consisting of 39 men who gave much of their valuable time during the year in policing the town during test black-outs which were created through the War crisis. I think much credit is due to each of these men for the loyal manner in which they have served the town when called upon to enforce the laws governing this emergency.

The same may be said of the members of your regular Police Department who have responded to calls with the Auxiliary Police during these black-out periods, serving you without pay.

The Auxiliary Police Department attended numerous lectures during the year, having as their instructors Attorney General Robert Bushnell; Attorney Edmund Keville, of the District Attorney's Office; Judge Patrick J. Reynolds, Justice of the Lowell District Court; Deputy Superintendent William L. Keegan of the Lowell Police Department; Attorney Joseph P. Donahue, Controller of Region Four and Jason A. Johnston, Inspector of the Registry of Motor Vehicles. The above instructors interpreted the law and its procedure in a way in which every officer plainly understood what was expected of him. I think we are all indebted to these men who have participated in the preservation of this town.

This year the Police Department operated on an appropriation of $10,141 which enabled us to add two more permanent men to the department. One man took charge of the office 7:00 P.M. to 3:00 A.M., the second man patrolled the center of the town during the early part of the evening, and the rest of the time was spent in the cruising car being operated with two men during these hours. I recommend a continuation of this present system. The night man in the office is there to cover all emergencies whenever they arise, being able to contact the cruising car by radio to immediately cover such emergency. The placing of two men in the cruising car at night to patrol the town permits safe and efficient operation.

It will be noticed the amount asked for the operation of the Police Department for 1943 is slightly less than the appropriation received for the year 1942. It is hoped that if this amount is granted we will be able to carry on throughout the year with the present system in operation.

I want to take this opportunity to extend my thanks to the members of the Board of Selectmen and to the members of the Police and Auxiliary Department for the cooperative manner in which they have assisted me in the protection of life and property.

Respectfully submitted,

CYRIL L. BARKER,

Chief of Police

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE TEWKSBURY PUBLIC LIBRARY

The trustees of the Public Library submit the following report:

Details of expenditures will be found in the report of the auditor.

Regular monthly meetings have been held with the exception of July and August.

The trustees wish to thank Miss Abbie Blaisdell and her capable assistants for their continued cooperation.

It is hoped that the request for $1300 found in the warrant together with money received from dog licenses be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

MARIAN E. FRENCH, Secretary,
HAROLD J. PATTEN,
HARRY PRIESTLEY,
DOROTHY FITZGERALD,
RUTH W. SMITH,
EDGAR SMITH,
Trustees of the Public Library.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

To the Trustees of the Tewksbury Public Library:

The following report is respectfully submitted:

During the year nine hundred one books were added to the library, of these four hundred thirty nine were fiction, two hundred forty nine non-fiction and two hundred thirteen juvenile.

The circulation of books at the library is good, in the districts increasing, while the circulation of magazines shows a marked increase.

In August all books were re-arranged on the shelves to relieve crowding. Books were checked and many overdue books were sent for. The response to these notices was gratifying.

The Librarian and her Assistants would appreciate the prompt return of all books and magazines.

CIRCULATION OF BOOKS AT THE LIBRARY

Wednesday Afternoons

Fiction	1432	Religion	7
History	58	Sociology	34
Literature	8	Science	10
Travel	18	Poetry	5
Arts	51	Philosophy	
Biography	37	Total	1660

Wednesday Evenings

Fiction	2677	Religion	6
History	43	Sociology	33
Literature	15	Science	22
Travel	49	Poetry	10
Arts	56	Philosophy	6
Biography	56	Total	2973

Saturdays

Fiction	8251	Religion	30
History	155	Sociology	126
Literature	38	Science	34
Travel	116	Poetry	39
Arts	181	Philosophy	34
Biography	167	Total	9221

Wednesdays and Saturdays 13,854

Library and Districts 15,579

CIRCULATION OF BOOKS IN DISTRICTS

Wamesit

Fiction	574	Religion	
History		Sociology	2
Literature		Science	1
Travel	3	Poetry	
Arts		Philosophy	1
Biography	2	Total	583

Mrs. Randolph Fitzgerald

Fiction	619	Religion	3
History	22	Sociology	7
Literature		Science	2
Travel	15	Poetry	1
Arts	13	Philosophy	3
Biography	15	Total	700

Silver Lake Bakery

Fiction	442	Religion	
History		Sociology	
Literature		Science	
Travel		Poetry	
Arts		Philosophy	
Biography		Total	442

Total Circulation in Districts 1,725

CIRCULATION OF MAGAZINES

American	77	Ladies' Home Journal	52
American Boy	1	Life	400
American Cookery	58	McCalls	63
American Girl	8	Mademoiselle	1
American Home	109	Mechanix Illustrated	52
Atlantic Monthly	44	National Geographic	98
Better Homes & Gardens	76	Opportunity	3
Boy's Life	16	Parents	12
Child Life	35	Popular Mechanics	128
Children's Playmate	49	Popular Science	29
Consumer's Digest	3	Readers' Digest	97
Cosmopolitan	65	Red Book	8
Good Housekeeping	85	Wee Wisdom	47
Harper's	33	Woman's Home Companion	58
Hobbies	24	Yankee	
House Beautiful	121	Others	49
Hygeia	26	Total	1952

ABBIE M. BLAISDELL,

Librarian.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE
BUREAU OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE
AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

General Relief this year has dropped considerably. Better chances of employment and higher rates of pay naturally have been the reason for this. Our case load has been made up mainly of elderly unemployable persons, State Hospital inmates with Tewksbury settlement and temporary relief to families where the breadwinner has been unable to work because of sickness or accident. Unfortunately in most of these latter type cases, the family has been large and the inability to work prolonged. Food prices were so high that each case was an expensive burden.

In no case this year has aid been granted to any family with an able-bodied man in it. We feel that the coming year has even a brighter outlook due to plenty of employment open to women and better working conditions for all throughout the country. We are asking for an accordingly decreased appropriation.

The Federal Food Stamp Plan was put in operation on June 19, 1942, and will continue through February, 1943. For the period covering June 19 through December 31, 1942, the amount of $3,043.00 has been spent by purchasers for the orange stamps and they have received $1,521.50 worth of the blue or free stamps. A total of 23 families representing 104 persons have participated in the Stamp Plan. Large families in low income brackets have benefited and this loss of buying power will be felt in many homes when the Plan is terminated.

The following is a recapitulation of the families and persons represented aided by the Welfare Department for the year 1942:

	Families	*Persons*
Town settled cases aided in Tewksbury	14	22
Town settled cases aided by other cities, towns	6	17
Aided in Tewksbury, unsettled or settled elsewhere	15	66
Hospitalization, members of above families		2
Hospitalization, cases receiving no other aid	11	11
Total	46	118

While the number of Old Age Assistance cases has only slightly increased during the past year, the fact that on May 1 by Act of the Legislature, payments were increased from $30 to $40 for single persons and from $50 to $65 for married couples, we were forced in September to ask for an additional $1500 to finish out the year. To meet the added expense of this legislative increase, an appropriation of $16,000 will be necessary for the year 1943.

There are 10 families representing 27 persons who are at present being aided through the Aid to Dependent Children program. As these families consist of children of school and pre-school ages, the upward trend in employment has not affected this class of case. It is expected that expenses for 1943 will run approximately the same as for this year and it is believed that an appropriation of $4500 will meet the needs of this department.

The report of expenditures for the three departments will be found in the Auditor's report. Reimbursements received are recorded in the Treasurer's report.

Respectfully submitted,

DUNCAN J. CAMERON, Chairman
IRVING F. FRENCH
BERNARD H. GREENE

REPORT OF HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Chairman and Members of the Tewksbury Board of Health.

Gentlemen:

The following is my report to the Health Department for the year ending December 31, 1942.

Contagious Diseases

	No.	Deaths
Dog Bites	9	0
Mumps	58	0
Tuberculosis	2	0
Measles	14	0
Whooping Cough	4	0
Pneumonia	2	0
Total	89	0

As the above list shows we had many contagious cases, but for the most part they were of the less serious types and there were no deaths. The past year has been our first year of war and we are now beginning to realize the shortening of food products. Our government suggested the careful selection of goods, so that a nutritive balance and a good resistance to disease may be maintained. It is more necessary now to protect our health than at any other time in peace history. Physicians are going to be hard to get, since so many are in the service and nursing service in the home will be almost prohibitive. I advise all who are interested up to 50 years of age to take up one of the nursing courses now being carried on in the Lowell hospitals. These courses prepare one to become a nurses aid. Such aids will be delegated to help our regular nurses in the nearby hospitals and as visiting home nurses in emergency. Details of these courses can be obtained by calling the agent of the Board of Health.

HERBERT M. LARRABEE, M. D.,

Agent.

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and Citizens:

As Chief of the Fire Department I herewith submit the following report:

Total Number of Fires Attended	136
Brush Fires	48
Grass Fires	38
Building Fires	15
Chimney Fires	7
Dump Fires	11
Flooded Oil Burners	2
Bonfire	1
Sawdust Pile	1
Overheated Furnace	1
Lobster Shells	2
False Alarms	9
Out of Town Call	1
Drownings	2
Electric Wires Down	2

Total value of buildings and contents: $75,675.00.
Damage to buildings and contents: $24,150.00.
Insurance paid on buildings and contents, $16,424.40.

Traveled 567 miles to fires and raised 560' ladders. Laid 3500 ft. of 2½" hose, 5100 ft. of 1½" hose, 35,200 ft. of 1 inch hose and used 97 pump cans. Issued 762 oil storage permits.

Personal property and real estate of the department, $32,500.

Respectfully submitted,

ALDEN S. HAINES,

Chief of the Fire Department.

REPORT OF THE SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

To The Honorable Board of Selectmen and Citizens:

The following is my report as your Sealer of Weights and Measures for the year 1942.

SCALES

Platform over 5000 lbs.	3
Platform over 100 to 5000 lbs.	8
Counter under 100 lbs.	1
Beam under 100 lbs.	2
Spring over 100 lbs.	2
Spring under 100 lbs.	18
Computing under 100 lbs.	6
Personal Weighing	2
Avoirdupois	39

MEASURING DEVICES

Gasoline pumps, sealed	16
Gasoline pumps, not sealed	10
Kerosene pumps, sealed	1
Oil measuring pumps	3

Amount collected and turned over to the treasurer....$22.77

Respectfully Submitted,

VICTOR N. CLUFF,

Sealer of Weights and Measures.

REPORT OF TREE WARDEN

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:
Gentlemen:

As Tree Warden, I submit the following:

Brush has been cut on nearly every street with special attention given to curves. All small brush was left as a mulch to discourage new growth while heavy brush was trucked to the dump and burned.

Trees considered dangerous have been removed or pruned.

One hundred and ten 3 to 5 year old seedling Rock Maple trees were planted on the following streets—Dewey and Summer the entire length—Marshall, Pleasant and Chandler. These trees were a gift of Miss Harriet Lee and H. Louis Farmer.

Something new has been tried this year, the setting of reflector buttons in trees close to roadsides. Each year we have had to remove or repair 15 or 20 trees that have been hit by cars or trucks. These buttons call attention of the driver to proximity of trees to the highway thereby averting injury to trees, cars and occupants. In several instances fatal injuries have resulted from collisions of this sort. We have received much favorable comment and only one tree has been hit in 1942.

Owing to inability to buy burning machine and scarcity of oil and labor, were unable to carry out plans to eliminate Poison Ivy from roadsides.

Dead wood should be removed from many of our trees and brush cut as usual.

With the added cost of labor and material, this department should have $2000.00 for the coming year.

Yours respectfully,

HARRIS M. BRIGGS,

Tree Warden.

REPORT OF THE MOTH SUPERINTENDENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:
Gentlemen:

As Agent for the suppression of Gypsy and Moth pests, I submit the following:

Am glad to report a large decrease of Gypsy and Brown Tail Moth. A survey of the woodlands bordering streets is now underway —bad infestations have been booked for early summer spraying. Tent caterpillar has been very troublesome and owing to their earlier hatching than other moths, do considerable damage before spraying starts.

All wild cherry (which is their favorite food) should be cut. The Elm tree beetle has been exceptionally plentiful the past year. Early morning spraying, when there is no wind and traffic is light, has been very successful in checking them.

The foliage has been better this year than it has for 35 years owing to plenty of rain, spraying, etc.

Due to increase in cost of material and labor, I recommend $2000.00 for the coming year.

Yours respectfully,

HARRIS M. BRIGGS,

Moth Superintendent.

REPORT OF DOG OFFICER

December 31, 1942.

To the Board of Selectmen,
Town of Tewksbury, Mass.

Gentlemen:

Following is the report of the Dog Officer from January 1, 1942 to December 31, 1942:

Dogs licensed	376
Dogs sheltered	35
Dogs destroyed	33
Dogs returned to owners	5
Dogs picked up from highway	8
Investigations (license), complaints, barking dogs, dogs killing chickens, etc.	200

Respectfully submitted,

GERALD J. FINNERAN,

Dog Officer.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

To the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Tewksbury:

Gentlemen:

The following is the report of the Inspector of Animals from Jan. 1, to Dec. 31, 1942.

Cows inspected	600
Bulls inspected	21
Young Cattle inspected	494
Hogs inspected	1,080
Sheep inspected	93

Animals Condemned

Cows inspected and condemned	11
Young Cattle inspected and condemned	15
Hogs inspected and condemned	21
Livers inspected and condemned	25
Lungs (sets) inspected and condemned	35
Side of beef inspected and condemned	1
Hams inspected and condemned	2
Hogs head inspected and condemned	6
Cows head inspected and condemned	4

For dairy purposes I have released 147 head of cattle.

I have released 1 calf for slaughter purpose.

25 dogs were quarantined and 3 cats for rabies and released at the end of 14 days.

Sent 3 dogs to Lowell Humane Society.

Dead dogs picked up (picked) from highway (2).

Inspected 2 barns after state test. (Barns were infected to tuberculosis).

Total 3,408 animals inspected at slaughter house.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES W. FENERTY,
Inspector of Animals.

REPORT OF THE PARK COMMISSIONERS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

As Park Commissioners, we submit the following:

During the summer the commons were raked, grass mowed and fertilizer applied. With plenty of rain the lawns were in exceptionally good condition the past year.

Several cords of cow dressing should be applied this coming year.

Since the start of war, the flag has flown with the exception of stormy days.

Lighting of the bandstand with colored lights was omitted during the holiday season to conform with war regulations.

Due to added care and costs of flags and dressing needed, we recommend an appropriation of $300.00.

Yours respectfully,

THOMAS C. McAUSLAND,

WALTER ROBERTS,

HARRIS M. BRIGGS,

Park Commissioners.

MIDDLESEX COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE

The following is a report of the work of the Middlesex County Extension Service in the town of Tewksbury for the year 1942.

Dairy farmers have been assisted and advised on improvement of pastures, feeding dairy cattle, growing emergency pasture crops, and the vaccination of calves against Bang's Disease. The Rogers Farm was a cooperator in the hayland topdressing project. A twilight meeting was held at the farm in June to talk over improved roughage and crop yields, together with an ensiling of grasses and legumes.

Rogers Farm, Battles Farm, and the Massachusetts State Infirmary are members of the Dairy Herd Improvement Association.

Victor Cluff is president of the Middlesex County Dairy Herd Improvement Association and a member of the County Dairy Committee.

Notices were sent to fruit and vegetable growers before each spray for insect and disease control, which aided the victory gardens and the commercial farmers.

Poultrymen have been assisted in their disease and production problems, and in record keeping thru farm visits and circular material.

Three poultry meetings have been held at the town hall at which time income tax filing, brooding, poultry ranges, disease control and poultry farm management were discussed.

A Civilian Defense Nutrition course was held for two groups, 39 finishing the course.

Five food preservation meetings were held with an attendance of 78 where the latest methods of canning were demonstrated.

Canning, clothing, home furnishing, foods, handicraft, poultry and gardening were the activities of 98 boys and girls enrolled in 4-H Club work, under the supervision of volunteer leaders, Mrs. Mary Hodgson; Mrs. Harry Treadwell; Mrs. W. Farwell; Mrs. Jessie Davis; Mrs. Gertrude Rutledge; Mrs. Samuel Crown; Mrs. Ellen A. Crowley; David Lynch; and James Sampson.

Mrs. Mary Hodgson was chairman of the committee which sponsored 4-H club work.

Three club members attended Camp Middlesex at Ashby.

David Sargent was awarded a prize in the Garden Contest sponsored by the Middlesex North Agricultural Society.

REPORT OF WPA SPONSOR'S AGENT

To the Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

During the year the following work on Streets has been done; finished gravelling Pratt Street, gravelled Oak, Pinedale and Dudley Road. Removed considerable stone and gravelled Court, Wilson and were working on Kittredge Streets when all work on roads ceased July 1.

What sewing machines were in good condition were lent to the Red Cross and are being used by them at the present time.

We have maintained the School Lunch Project at a total cost of $2882.05 and to the best of my information will be allowed to continue it until the end of the school year. Owing to the removing of various commodities from the surplus list, we have been obliged to purchase more material than formerly which has had a result of materially raising costs during the later part of the year. We have served 62,104 meals at an average cost to the Town of 4.643 cents per meal for the year. During April, May and June we were able to get surplus meat from the Government which materially reduced costs for those months. There are at the present time 17 women assigned to this project.

We have purchased a second-hand Chevrolet to replace the G. M. C. which was worn out. I believe the trucks should be turned over to the Highway Department. On stopping of road work the loader was taken over by the Highway Department and has been used by them ever since.

The typewriter at Commodity Distribution Center was overhauled and loaned to the Rationing Board.

I feel that the School Lunch program should be continued until the close of the school year and that an appropriation of $2000 in addition to the unexpended balance should be ample even though costs of food have increased and will in all probability be higher before July.

According to present information all activities under the Work Program Administration will cease July 1, 1943, the end of the Federal Fiscal year.

Respectfully submitted,

EVERETT H. KING,
WPA Sponsor's Agent.

JURY LIST

Name	Occupation
Allen, Herman O.	Chauffeur
Anderson, Clifford H.	Salesman
Anderson, Adelbert A.	Dairy Farmer
Bailey, William I.	Garage Owner
Battles, Philip M.	Farmer
Bell, Lester W.	Serviceman
Bennett, William H.	Hydraulic Engineer
Berube, Louis O.	Agent
Blanchard, Omer O.	Farmer
Bonugli, Leo M.	Merchant
Briggs, Harris M.	Moth Superintendent
Cameron, Duncan J.	Milk Dealer
Carter, William I.	Florist
Collins, Leslie	Laborer
Daniels, Everett P.	Fireman
Dugau, Fred A.	Weaver
Fairbrother, Herbert A.	Supervisor
Felker, Onestus A.	Farmer
Goodwin, Walter E.	Salesman
Greene, Bernard H.	Engineer
Hickey, Francis P.	Supervisor
Hinton, Edgar G.	Filling Station Attendant
Kelley, John H.	R. R. Operator
Kinney, Uel	Cutter
Lanner, Roy G.	Merchant
Lundquist, Victor M.	Florist
McGowan, William H.	Supervisor
Meloy, Frederick F.	Contractor
Mills, Harold W.	Rubber Worker
Murphy, Stuart H.	Poultryman
Ogston, James R.	Laborer
Patterson, Harry W.	Chauffeur
Roberts, Lindley A.	Printer
Sargent, Ross E.	Mechanic
Sherlock, Francis	Caretaker
Treadwell, Harry A.	Fireman
Trull, John A.	Farmer
Wells, Arthur W.	Salesman

IRVING F. FRENCH
BERNARD H. GREENE
DUNCAN J. CAMERON
Selectmen of Tewksbury

WARRANT FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Middlesex, ss:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town Affairs, to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury on Wednesday, February 3, 1943, at ten o'clock A. M., to act on the following articles:

ART. 1. To choose all necessary Town Officers, to choose by ballot a Moderator, Town Clerk, three Selectmen, three members of the Board of Public Welfare, three members of the Board of Health, a Town Treasurer, an Auditor, a Collector of Taxes, a Tree Warden and three Constables, all to serve one year; one Highway Commissioner to serve three years; one member of the School Committee to serve three years; two Trustees of the Public Library to serve three years; one Park Commissioner to serve three years; one Assessor to serve three years, one Assessor to serve two years to fill a vacancy; one Commissioner of Trust Fund to serve three years.

The polls for the election of Town Officers to be opened at ten o'clock A. M. and to be closed at 8 P. M.

And you are also hereby further required and directed to notify and warn the said inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, who are qualified to vote on elections and Town affairs, therein to assemble subsequently and meet in Town Meeting at the Town Hall in said Town of Tewksbury on Wednesday, February 10, 1943, at eight o'clock P. M., then and there to act on the following articles:

ART. 2. To hear reports of Town officers and committees and act thereon.

ART. 3. To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise by taxation to defray necessary expenses for the current year, and make appropriations for the same.

ART. 4. To see if the Town will vote the money arising from licensing dogs, for the ensuing year to aid in support of the Public Library.

ART. 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1943, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note oor notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

VOTED: That the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1943, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ART. 6. To see what regulations the Town will make for the possession, management and sale of land sold for unpaid taxes and for the assignment of Tax Titles not inconsistent with law or with the right of redemption as provided by Sec. 52 of Chap. 60 of the General Laws as amended by Sec. 3 of Chapter 126 of the Acts of 1927, and to see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for the enforcement of such rules and regulations.

ART. 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $350.00 for the proper observance of Memorial Day, and appoint a committee to expend the money. Said committee to be taken from members of Spanish War Veterans, American Legion, or Sons of Veterans.

ART. 8. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to institute suits on behalf of the Town or defend any suits that are, or may be brought against the Town, and to sign any contracts or agreements in behalf of the Town.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will vote to accept Section 1 of Chapter 123 of the Acts of 1939 which was an amendment of Section 1 of Chapter 358 of the Acts of 1938.

Section 1 of Chapter 123 of the Acts of 1939 is as follows:—The Mayor of any city or the Selectmen of any Town which holds property acquired by foreclosure of tax titles or acquired under the section eighty of chapter sixty of the General Laws may appoint a custodian who shall have while this act remains in effect the care, custody, management and control of all property so acquired by said city or town, whether acquired before or after his appointment, or before or after the effective date of this act. The custodian shall serve during the pleasure of the mayor or Selectmen and shall receive as his compensation, if any, a sum fixed by the mayor or the Board of Selectmen.

ART. 10. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum sufficient to pay the County of Middlesex, as required by law, the Town's share of the net cost of the care, maintenance, and repair of the Middlesex County Tuberculosis Hospital, as assessed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 111 of the General Laws and Acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto including Chapter 400, Section 25 G (6) (a) of the Acts of 1936 or take any action in relation thereto.

ART. 11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell, after first giving notice of the time and place of sale by posting such notice of sale in some convenient and public place in the town fourteen days at least before the sale, property taken by the town under tax title procedure provided that the selectmen or whomsoever they may authorize to hold such public auction may reject any bid which they deem inadequate, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 12. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Board of Selectmen to sell any parcel or parcels of land acquired by the Town through Tax Title foreclosure proceedings whose Tax Title value is less than $50.00, for whatever sum it may be in their judgment to the best interest of the Town, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 13. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen and the Treasurer to foreclose either through the Land Court or by affidavit of the Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation, any Tax Title held by the Town for more than two years, and to see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate therefor or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 14. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Road Machinery Fund and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing, repairing and operating road machinery; to which fund shall be accredited—in addition to the sum appropriated—such sums as may be allotted for the use of town-owned highway equipment operated for highway purposes in conjunction with the State and County, or take any other action thereto.

ART. 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2000. for the Maintenance of Chapter 90, Highways: said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 16. To see what sum the Town will vote to pay the Town Treasurer as a salary for the year of 1943.

ART. 17. To see if the Town will vote to install one street light on Court St. between Washington St. and Clinton St. or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 18. To see if the Town will vote to install one light on Main St. near the residence of Leo Morris, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 19. To see if the Town will vote to increase the salary of the Inspector of Slaughtering $200.00 per year, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 20. To see if the Town will vote to purchase the property on the south side of the Town Hall, now owned by the Lowell Co-operative Bank, appropriate $3,000.00 for same, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 21. To see if the Town will vote to approve the layout of the road commissioners relocating Texas Road, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money sufficient to erect and maintain a memorial and honor roll which will contain the names of all citizens and residents of the Town of Tewksbury who have entered and served in the armed forces of the United States of America in the present war.

ART. 23. To see if the Town will vote to place a day man and a night man on duty at the Fire Station, with a salary of $35.00 per week, for each man, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 24. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $500.00 to gravel Robinson Avenue 14 ft. wide, on the original road, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 25. To see if the Town will vote to choose by ballot at the Annual Town Meeting in February 1944 three Selectmen, three members of the Board of Public Welfare, and three members of the Board of Health, one to serve three years, one to serve two years and one to serve one year, and each succeeding year to choose by ballot one Selectman, one member of the Board of Public Welfare and one member of the Board of Health, to serve for the period of three years or to take any action relative to same.

ART. 26. To see if the Town will vote that all Motor Vehicles owned by the Town of Tewksbury shall be lettered with the name of Department to which the vehicle belongs, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding $350 for repairs to and maintenance of the athletic field and structures thereon at the High School and for the maintenance of athletics at the High School.

ART. 28. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for a reserve fund under Section 6 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws or take any other action thereto.

ART. 29. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the expenses of the School Lunch Project in conjunction with Federal W.P.A. Funds, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 30. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for necessary expenses of the Civilian Defense Committee, or take any other action thereto.

ART. 31. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $50.00 in support of the Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture, through the Middlesex County Extension Service, and elect a director. Said money to be spent under the direction of the local director, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 32. To see if the Town will vote to pay the following unpaid bills: vocational school $43.09, dog officer $98.50, police $42.63, fire department $62.80 or take any action relative to same.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and leave one hundred copies for the use of the citizens at the Post Office in said Town, 8 days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid:—

Given under our hands, this 13th day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and forty-three.

IRVING F. FRENCH,
BERNARD H. GREENE,
DUNCAN J. CAMERON,
} Selectmen of Tewksbury

A true copy attest:

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Constable of Tewksbury

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF THE

Town of Tewksbury

ALSO

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

For the Year Ending December 31,

1942

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Mrs. May L. Larrabee	1940-1943	Chairman	Tewksbury, Mass.
J. Harper Gale	1941-1944	Secretary	Tewksbury, Mass.
Ralph Battles	1942-1945		No. Tewksbury, Mass.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Stephen G. Bean — Wilmington, Mass.

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Herbert M. Larrabee — Tewksbury, Mass.

SCHOOL NURSE

Miss Edith E. Haines — Tewksbury, Mass.

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

Harry Wiley — Tewksbury, Mass.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The work and supervision in the schools has been carried on as usual during the past year.

Necessary repairs have been made on all the school buildings. The rear of the Ella E. Fleming School was re-clapboarded and the entire building was painted during the past summer.

Several rooms in the basement of the High School and also two rooms in the Foster School were painted. Part of the basement in the Foster School has been redecorated and plans have been made to have a lunch room installed so that the pupils may have hot lunches each day. This project will be similar to ones now in operation in the High and Shawsheen Schools. The Parent-Teacher's Association has been raising money towards the purchase of equipment for this project. This will benefit many children who are obliged to carry lunches to school each day.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Superintendent	$ 877.00
Supervisors	1,020.00
Teachers	18,900.00
Health	1,600.00
Janitors	3,528.00
Transportation	6,000.00
Fuel	1,500.00
Books & Supplies	1,500.00
Insurance	600.00
District	150.00
Miscellaneous	1,000.00
Repairs	1,250.00
	$ 37,925.00

HIGH SCHOOL

Supervisors	$ 350.00	
Teachers	15,667.00	
Janitors	1,404.00	
Transportation	2,900.00	
Fuel	1,000.00	
Books & Supplies	1,400.00	
Miscellaneous	1,400.00	
Equipment & Repairs	700.00	
		$ 24,821.00
Total		$ 62,746.00

Respectfully submitted,

MAY L. LARRABEE, Chairman,

J. HARPER GALE,

RALPH S. BATTLES.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee
Tewksbury, Massachusetts:

Madam and Gentlemen:

Subscribed please find my twelfth annual Report of the Superintendent of Schools. Since it covers the first complete year under war conditions it is necessarily affected by the impact of these conditions.

War has definitely come into the school lives of all pupils during the past year. The effects have not been of benefit in any way unless it be to encourage thrift and motivate our endeavors to instill patriotism. The various interruptions which have occurred due to the rationing programs have seriously interrupted the continuity of our educational effort. The continual excitement engendered by our almost universal habit of expressing our opinions before children, are certainly producing a profound effect on their mental, and especially their emotional reactions. This is clearly evident to one who has daily contacts with numerous different classrooms.

The greatest unrest is naturally found among those pupils in the upper classes in the high schools. The boys are under the pressure of the effects of the drafting of the eighteen year olds. Those who are approaching eighteen are almost as much affected as those of that age. They are wondering just what is the best way to prepare for what the near future may bring. Pupil unrest is naturally reflected in the teachers and administrators who are also wondering just what is best to do for these young people, and how best to do it. They have changes in curriculums, and content of specific parts of curriculums, handed to them in a very sketchy form. They are constantly faced with the necessity of adapting such suggestions to peculiar local conditions. Such adaptations are particularly necessary in the small community because they are usually designed for large cities with all types of special schools and equipment.

Another pressure felt by the schools as a direct result of the war effort is the demand for increased vocational training. All of those not in the armed forces are supposed to be prepared for some kind of effort directly supporting the armed forces. This group will comprise about 20% of each graduating class. These must be prepared for the various

non-combatant aids to the total war effort. Their preparation will not be the same as that special training which we are asked to give to the other 80% who will be in one or another of the fighting services.

The problem is further complicated by the question as to how long the war will last and therefore how far down in the schools these special preparations should be started. Most of the present planning has to do with those classes whose members will be of draft age within the next year or two. Meanwhile we have other classes coming along who must be prepared to live in a new type of world situation. They must be helped towards finding their way in a very different social and economic setup than that which their parents knew.

Farther down in the elementary schools we must still provide the youngsters with a solid foundation of the tool subjects by use of which true education must be attained. We will still be obliged to teach the "Three R's" in a thorough-going manner. An efficient reading technique must be developed and, if possible, a will and desire to use this skill. Fundamental number processes and their application to solution of commonplace problems will still be necessary. We need still to know the history of our own country in order to profit by both its mistakes and its successes. A much better knowledge of geography will be needed as an aid to a better understanding of conditions within a greatly expanding horizon. An elementary knowledge of science will become almost a necessity because the aftermath of this war is likely to be a wholly new set of mechanical and technical surroundings and a much greater degree of mobility as will befit an air age.

Our communities must wake up to the fact that they are to see marked changes in our system of education when this war is won. If we have any national wisdom we will see to it that, never again must young men's lives depend on the skill of six-week machinists, even though modern machines seem to run of themselves and our people have shown a marvelous power of learning to handle them. We must get over the idea that our offspring should all have white collar jobs. It sometimes seems that our whole war effort is being slowed up by a superabundance of white collars rather than a scarcity of overalls.

We must also see to it that our children are taught more and better how to live in their world. They must be taught more of the importance to them, personally, of how and by whom they are governed. They must be made to realize that any government, local, state or national, is only as good as the men who make and administer the laws. We should teach them to fear political fences as much as prison bars—even more. We should be allowed to teach them to ask WHY, when a

man or group of men spend $10,000 to secure election to a $5,000 office or when a man appointed to a $5,000 job seems to be obliged to live "from hand to mouth". In short, we should be realistic. We should teach these young people to use their own heads and not let others do their thinking for them.

THE TEACHER SITUATION

Here is one of the most difficult problems the school official has to face at the present time. Good teachers have always been scarce. Teachers of any kind, available to the none too rich towns, are getting to be difficult to find. This is not surprising in consideration of the fact that a young woman earning $1,200 a year as a teacher can get $1,500 or $1,600 a year at not too skilled labor and be free to forget her job at the end of a day and sleep at night like a baby. There is a wide difference between running an immovable machine for eight hours, and controlling forty highly animated children while teaching them at the same time. It is not surprising that many young people who are qualified to teach and who have even been teaching, are glad to take up some form of mechanical labor.

The situation is further complicated by the demand of the government for the services of young men teachers in the armed forces. Every man who steps out has to be replaced by a woman. Frequently none can be found who are capable of teaching the subjects which are required. For example: It is difficult to find women who can teach the sciences, mathematics or vocational courses for boys. Any who are available are immediately snapped up by the larger and richer communities.

During the year we have lost some very good teachers for various reasons. Two of our young men have gone into the armed services. Mr. Sampson, Principal of Shawsheen School, was inducted into one of the sea-going services during the summer and Mr. King of the High School faculty entered the army during the fall term.

Mr. Miller, acting head of the High School, resigned to accept a science position in Arlington. Mr. Herbert Hoyt, Principal of the Sherborn secondary school, was elected to the vacancy.

Mr. Hoyt in his section of this report has enumerated the other changes in the High School faculty. I will not repeat them.

In the elementary schools there were numerous changes. None of these were in the Foster School. This staff continues the same as last year.

In the Shawsheen School the condition was serious. As indicated above the principal resigned in the summer, as did Miss Von Bergen, teacher of grades six and seven. She accepted much better pay at clerical work in the Hingham Ship Yard. Later Miss Holt, who taught grades four and five, accepted a better position in another town nearer her home. Josephine McLellan, who taught grades three and four last year, changed her name to Hedstrom and automatically ceased teaching.

So matters stood well along in August. All endeavors to secure an adequate principal were in vain. Seventh grade teachers seemed equally scarce at the salary we could offer. An additional difficulty appeared, due to gasoline rationing, which introduced the element of transportation to further complicate the situation. Precious gasoline was burned pursuing vain leads. Finally when schools were about to open, with only one position filled by Miss Mason of North Billerica, it was found necessary to call upon friends for aid. As a personal favor to the Superintendent, Mrs. Thelma Doucette of Reading, a strong teacher, formerly in his employ in Wilmington, consented to take over the preliminary organization of the school and to stay as long as her family affairs permitted. Mrs. Doucette did an excellent piece of work. It is to be regretted that she was not able to continue longer.

No satisfactory candidate having applied for the seventh grade position it was necessary again to call on an old friend, formerly Miss Alberta Ringer of the Foster School staff. Miss Ringer, now Mrs. Mooney, consented to take over the position temporarily and when Mrs. Doucette had to retire, Mrs. Mooney became acting principal. This change made it necessary to secure another seventh grade teacher. Mrs. Edith Thornquist of Reading was hired on a substitute basis. Mrs. Thornquist had a long succesful experience as teacher in large schools before her marriage.

At the end of a month Miss Mason who was elected to succeed Miss McLellan in the third and fourth grades, asked for a release to take a position in Billerica. Miss Margaret Mathews of Lowell, who had taught in a New Hampshire town, was secured for this place.

At about this time we had to call back Mrs. Josephine McLellan Hedstrom to take the vacancy left by Miss Holt's resignation which really came after schools had started.

Still later in the fall, in November, Miss Elizabeth Reynolds announced her approaching marriage and resigned. Again we called on our former teaching staff and hired Mrs. Margaret Hedstrom Oliver to take charge of this first grade room. At the commencement of the

Christmas vacation Mrs. Mooney found it necessary to give up her position as acting principal of the school. We were fortunate to find available the services of an experienced teacher in Mrs. Ann Washburn, who is now serving in the capacity of acting principal.

Thus at the close of the year there was but one teacher left of the six who had been in the school in June.

At Christmas, Miss Dorothy Ogston, teacher in the primary grades in the Ella Flemings School, announced her approaching marriage and presented a plea for a leave of absence for the balance of the year. Miss Helle Generales, of Lowell, has been placed in charge of this room.

This is typical of what has been happening all over the state and nation and of what we may expect to continue for the duration of the war. Our only way of holding our teachers will be to meet financial competition as best we are able.

As an item of interest may I state that there has been a 40% turnover in the teaching corps since June considering actual positions involved and a 50% actual change in persons.

SCHOOL LUNCH PROJECT

Two excellent school lunch projects have been in operation during the year. They have been most successful and of great benefit to the children served. At the Shawsheen School a very fine job of adaptation to conditions was done and the result a dining space and very good cooking and serving facilities were developed.

Thanks to receipts of surplus commodities from the government and the labor furnished under W.P.A., it has been possible to serve very fine lunches at a very low cost.

It is hoped that the third project at the Foster School can be put into effect. There is some uncertainty about our ability to secure either free products or free labor.

This town owes a vote of appreciation to those who have had a hand in the planning and administration of this very desirable addition to our school service. The work has been done better and more efficiently than in many larger communities.

RATIONING

Our teachers have done a very important service to this community and the nation in their intelligent and efficient execution of the three important rationing programs. They have been patient in the face of undeserved criticism and faults of conception in some of the projects themselves. I want to take this opportunity of thanking them all for their cheerful acceptance of this patriotic duty thrust upon them and to compliment them upon their very intelligent completion of the work.

HEALTH

The excellent teamwork between Dr. Larrabee and Miss Haines, the school nurse, has had and is having an important effect on the welfare of the school children. Their careful examination and prompt action has helped to keep us free from serious epidemics of the so-called children's diseases. Some of these ailments regarded as a necessary part of growing up are far more dangerous than the general public realizes. Many defects which become chronic in later life are traceable to these childhood diseases.

ART AND MUSIC

Progress in Art and Music has been in the capable hands of the same people who served us last year. Music in the elementary schools is showing a steady growth. In the high school it continues to maintain a high level of accomplishment. Miss Shea's work in the supervision of drawing shows increasingly good results.

ENROLLMENT

There has been a slight decrease in enrollment since last year. A great part of this drop came in the high school. This is wholly natural in consideration of the existing economic and war conditions. During the year 1941 we had not begun to see the number of opportunities for work for young people that are now available. Then there was no call for working certificates for part time employment for children under sixteen. For those over sixteen the issue of certificates has increased from six to eight times.

This tendency toward decrease in school attendance is likely to continue for the duration if no sudden influx of new residents comes from nearby defense plants. This is a possibility and has to be considered in planning for the future.

WAR'S EFFECTS

As we approach the peak of the nation's war effort we may expect to see more and more required of the schools. They too will be drafted for a variety of endeavors all directed towards producing a more effective fighting force. We may be called upon to forget all of our familiar courses of study and to direct our efforts to preparing our young people to be better able mentally and physically to bear war's impact. The demands already are very strong for a change of emphasis in our physical education. We can no longer spend nearly all of our effort on less than 20% of the pupils enrolled. It is demanded that we give a good hard and thorough general physical training to every child capable of standing it. This is for boys and girls alike and is one of the "musts" of the government's program.

There will probably be added calls for the aid of school children in the planting and harvesting of crops. Accent will be placed on the importance of home gardening and the preserving or "canning" of products. It is even possible that we may see boys under sixteen allowed to do labor now forbidden to them. They may even be urged to do such labor. All depends upon the length of this war. The sooner ended the sooner we begin our way back to the true American mode of existence.

THE SCHOOL PLANT

All of the school buildings have been kept in excellent repair and have been well cared for by good janitorial service.

Our one trouble for the year has been with the heating apparatus at the Shawsheen School. It was difficult to determine why such a new and efficient appearing heating plant would not give clean warm air to all rooms. There was a "bug" somewhere which has not as yet been found. Changes and repairs combined with intelligent handling by the janitor is giving results which are at least bearable.

CONCLUSION

May I call attention to the reports of my various associates which are here presented. They are worthy of consideration. I gratefully acknowledge the loyal cooperation and help which I have received from school committee, principals, supervisors and teachers.

Respectfully submitted,

STEPHEN G. BEAN,
Supt. of Schools

January 8, 1943.

REPORT OF THE HEADMASTER

Tewksbury High School

January, 1943

To the Superintendent and School Committee:

The following is my annual report as Acting-Headmaster of the Tewksbury High School.

The following table shows the enrollment for October 1, 1941 and for October 1, 1942.

ENROLLMENT BY CLASSES AS OF OCTOBER 1

	1941			1942		
	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total
Post Graduates		1	1		2	1
Seniors	21	17	38	14	17	31
Juniors	25	26	51	23	30	53
Sophomores	26	32	58	23	25	49
Freshmen	30	34	64	29	35	64
	102	110	212	89	109	198

It will seem that there has been a decided decrease in the enrollment of boys since last year. This is due to the fact that some of our young people have entered the armed services of our country before graduating from high school while others have been attracted by lucrative positions in defense work. It is obvious that the man power shortage in this country is becoming acute, but in most cases the student would be more valuable to his country and in a better position to advance if he completed his high school education.

Attendance was fairly high until December when it dropped off rather badly. This was due to the fact that many of our students were working before Christmas. I wish to point out the advantage of the student being in school every day when it is possible. Absence makes it necessary to repeat work thus wasting the time of the teacher and other members of the class.

The division of students according to the courses for which they have registered is as follows:

Commercial	56	College	52
General	44	Manual Training	17
Nurses Training	11	Teachers' College	6
Home Economics	13		

In answering to the growing need for trained man power in our armed forces, we are making drastic changes in our schedule and are adding an eighth course of study which might be called pre-induction training. We have added a full year class in aeronautics which is proving interesting to a large group of boys and should be very beneficial after graduation. We have also added a course in blue print reading and expect to add two other courses called Fundamentals of Machines and Fundamentals of Electricity. This is being done at the request of the War Department to prepare our boys for induction into the armed services. We are also asked to help in the physical preparation of our students and in answer to that need we are introducing a physical education program for all. The periods have been shortened to allow time for a full hour of physical education every day. This will permit all boys to have two hours of gym each week and all girls at least one hour.

There have been several changes in the high school teaching staff during this year. Mr. Richard Miller, Miss Leonore Meehan, and Miss Marjorie Scoboria resigned during the summer to accept more lucrative positions. Mr. Herbert Hoyt was elected as Acting Headmaster to take Mr. Miller's place, Miss Marjorie Stanley was elected to replace Miss Meehan in the commercial department and Mrs. Kathryn Hall was elected to replace Miss Scoboria in the mathematics department. Miss Hall resigned in November and Miss Catherine Riley substituted for her until December. In December Miss Maguire took over part of the mathematics and Mrs. Elizabeth Hoyt was elected to take over the rest of the mathematics and part of the language department. In November Mr. Joseph King entered the army and Miss Fatoula Papaconstantineau was elected as the science teacher.

In June, 1942, the high school held its seventh annual commencement exercises. The following were presented diplomas and special honors by Mrs. May Larrabee, chairman of the School Board.

Rita Barrett
Ella Bernsson
Jean Coombes
Alice Farrell
Elsie Haas
Audrey Jones
Dorothy Labonte
Christine Liakos
Pauline Maclaren
Mildred Mavrogianis
Josephine Neveska
Alice Patenaude

Barbara Sawyer
Margaret Sheehan
Jennie Suslovitch
Martha Tremblay
Leo Berube
Melvin Burgess
John Carter
Frederick Dorsch
Walter Doucette
Roland Fearon
Winthrop Fitzgerald
Albert Hinckley
George Liegakos

Salvatore Lipomi
Andrew McCormack
Allan Osterman
Walter Pupkis
William Roper
Harold Shapcott
Earl Sheehan
Henry Smith
John Smith, Jr.
John Sullivan
George Wilson
John Whitehouse

SPECIAL HONORS

Valedictory, Winthrop Fitzgerald Salutatory, George Liegakos

The May L. Larrabee Scholarship Awards
WILLIAM FITZGERALD, GEORGE LIEGAKOS

The Balfour Award
ALICE FARRELL

The Melvin Rogers Awards
WALTER DOUCETTE, WILLIAM ROPER

The Sons of the American Revoloution History Medal
PHYLLIS BLAIR

The Parent-Teachers' Association Medal
ELLA BERNSSON

The Becker College Award
DOROTHY LABONTE

Class President, Salvatore Lipomi Class Marshall, John Smith, Jr.

JUNIOR USHERS

Mildred Hughes, Marcia Pike, Leo Bonugli, William Chandler

In June, 1942, Tewksbury High School was awarded for the seventh consecutive year the class A certificate issued by the State Department of Education.

The reduced enrollment among the older boys had an adverse effect on the football team this fall. From a standpoint of victories we did not have a successful season, but from any other point of view we were highly satisfied. The boys played hard, clean football all fall and were partially rewarded at the end of the season by a tie with Wilmington. The fact that many of the older boys didn't return this year gave many of the younger ones a chance to gain experience. Although the income from the game was small, the expenses for new equipment was light and the balance for the football season was favorable. A full financial report for the Athletic Association is appended.

The school board and Hi-Lights Club cooperated in buying a liquid duplicator for the commercial department. The machine is proving very valuable to the whole school. It gives the commercial students valuable experience and it is proving much cheaper to operate than our Mimeograph machine.

The play chosen last year by the Dramatic Club was "The American Patriot," a timely comedy with a lesson in patriotism for everyone. The play was produced under the direction of Miiss Doris Groesbeck with Ella Bernsson acting as student director. The play proved to be a financial and dramatic success.

The girls' and boys' chorus gave their Fourth Annual Concert in May. Several numbers were presented by both groups. The mixed chorus gave a number which was a bit different from the ordinary by giving a Chorale Speaking of the 24th Psalm. We had as our guests of the evening the Wilmington Boys' Choir with George Pendleton assisting them on his trumpet. Also a piano solo was given by Juanita Battles and an Invocation was read by Ethel Harmon. It was all ably directed by Miss Harriet Donehue, music supervisor.

In conclusion, I wish to say that I have been very favorably impressed by Tewksbury's attractive, well organized high school. In general I have found the equipment excellent, but I feel that we should add more books to the school library, especially some good reference books. I also feel that some of our textbooks should be replaced by newer editions.

It is a pleasure to acknowledge the thoughtful consideration of high school problems by the school committee and the friendly counsel of the superintendent of schools. I wish to thank the members of the faculty and the student body who have been helpful to us new teachers in our adjustment to the school and community.

Respectfully Submitted,

HERBERT E. HOYT,

Acting Headmaster.

TEWKSBURY HIGH SCHOOL
ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION REPORT FOR YEAR 1941-1942

RECEIPTS

Football	$344.20
Basketball	176.46
Baseball	5.06
Field Hockey	6.07
Miscellaneous	265.92
Total	$797.71
Balance on Hand, September 1, 1941	86.23
	$883.94
	$883.94

EXPENSES

Football	$350.28
Basketball	254.06
Baseball	44.45
Field Hockey	74.17
Miscellaneous	152.70
Total	875.66
	$875.66
Balance on Hand, September 1, 1942	8.28
	$883.94

Age-Grade Distribution

October 1, 1942

	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	T
I	31	40	11	1	1													84
II		21	40	10	1													72
III		1	21	32	8	3	1											66
IV				20	40	7	3	3	1	4								78
V					20	27	16	3	2									68
VI					2	19	33	9	5	1								69
VII							20	31	13	7	1							72
VIII								13	34	11	9	2						69
T	31	62	72	63	72	56	73	59	55	23	10	2						578
IX									15	36	11	2						64
X										5	32	10	1					48
XI											13	26	12	1			1	53
XII												12	18	1				31
P.G.													1	1				2
T									15	41	56	50	32	3			1	198
G.T.	31	62	72	63	72	56	73	59	70	64	66	52	32	3			1	776

TABLE II

Teacher-Grade Distribution

October 1, 1942

TEACHER GRADE	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI	XII	P.G.	T
FOSTER SCHOOL														
MELOY	39													39
CUNNINGHAM		35												35
COLBATH			37											37
BLAKE				38										38
PIPER					42									42
FLYNN						38								38
LYONS							41							41
HOWARD								38						38
TOTAL	39	35	37	38	42	38	41	38						308
SHAWSHEEN SCHOOL														
OLIVER	43													43
KATHERINA		32												32
MATHEWS			25	15										40
HEDSTROM				20	25									45
THORNQUIST						24	9							33
WASHBURN							15	26						41
TOTAL	43	32	25	35	25	24	24	26						234
NORTH SCHOOL														
GENERALES	2	5	4	5										16
HERSEY					1	7	7	5						20
TOTAL	2	5	4	5	1	7	7	5						36
HIGH SCHOOL														
HOYT									64	48	53	31	2	198
TOTAL									64	48	53	31	2	198
GRAND TOTAL	84	72	66	78	68	69	72	69	64	48	53	31		776

Teachers' names as of Jan. 4, 1943.

REPORT OF THE MUSIC SUPERVISOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

To Mr. Stephen G. Bean and
Members of the School Committee.

Dear Sirs and Madam:

Each year I have attempted to give general outlines of what is being attempted in music education in the elementary schools. It seems needless to repeat them here.

Out of the many things which could be taught I have endeavored to evolve a course of music study dealing with certain basic needs in music; simple enough to catch the imagination of the child and not discourage his attitude toward music, yet thorough enough to give him sufficient understanding so that he would be able to "know" his way around, and have certain skills enabling him to express himself musically.

In all teaching there is bound to be passive as well as active learning. In passive learning the child receives impressions from without which afford pleaure and which have more or less influence in determining the things which he is to know. Some of these passive or concomitant learnings that are gained through systematic music drill are, —the cultivation of the imagination; the memory is strengthened; attention and accuracy are developed. It is conducive to order, method and system. It trains the will, helps gain the power to think and trains certain of the senses. It awakens love, respect and confidence. It has "physical education" advantages because it promotes deep breathing and erect posture. It promotes cheerfulness, fortitude, good-fellowship and an appreciation of the mutual dependence of all who live in a community. It prepares for good citizenship.

We attempt simple correlation. Through anecdote, bits of music history, pictures, and choice of songs we tie up music to the other subjects. But in no sense do we try to *make a place* for music by doing this. We believe in music for its own sake and it must win its way on its own merit. This it is doing. Our children love to sing. They are developing a consciousness of power in music. They are telling us what they hear over the radio that we have taught them in school. Also, we try to guide them in their listeninig to the radio. They have learned to differentiate types of music and laugh gleefully at certain programs because they know it for "joke" music and only to be tolerated.

The seventh grade usually presents difficulties all its own. We have been able to overcome the shyness which appears at this age. Their love has overcome their fears. They have nice poise and a real desire is manifest. They have learned to accept the physical difficulties as something to be endured for the time being because they have discovered that it is in the natural course of events in their lives. They laugh at each other's "noises" rather than being embarrassed.

As a nation we are not rich in national song, but we endeavor to have every child learn to sing and love the few that we do have. This year we have maintained a strong patriotic motive and shall continue it even more so as the months go by.

Choric-speech has been introduced in the seventh and eighth grades at Foster, the upper grades at the North and the eighth grade at Shawsheen. This is valuable in interpretation and diction in song as well as being worth-while for its own sake.

Rhythm orchestras have been attempted in all schools.

There have been music contests in all schools.

The North School presented a patriotic program of songs and dances of the Colonial period in April. It consisted of a cantata, entitled "George Washington", followed by a scene, "An Evening at Mount Vernon". The rhythm orchestra played several selections.

Musical Matinees, where grades entertain each other, were held in all schools near the close of the school year in June.

The eighth grade was prepared and presented in a program of music at graduation.

There were "Song-fests" of Christmas Carols at the North and Shawsheen. The music used at the Christmas Assembly at Shawsheen was chosen from class-room assignments.

Definite objectives and goals for each grade are given to teachers as well as monthly assignments of work to be covered.

The fine spirit and attitude of the boys and girls, along with the wholehearted cooperation of the teachers makes possible the realization of the music program. To them, and to Mr Bean for his kind interest, I am very sincerely grateful.

Respectfully submitted,

ALICE L. STURTEVANT,
Supervisor of Music.

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC

Tewksbury High School
January 11, 1943
Tewksbury, Mass.

Mr. Stephen G. Bean and Members of the School Committee:

As Music Supervisor in Tewksbury High School for the second year it is with utmost sincerity that I submit to you my annual report.

In High School the music department is well represented and our time allotment is very generous. As a subject, music is not required but is a voluntary activity. For an hour each week I have a girl chorus of which there are approximately one hundred students. Following this class I have boys chorus for also one hour in which forty participate. After lunch these two groups are combined in a Mixed Chorus for a half hour period. In our classes we allot part of the time to Community Singing which seems to bring us together in good fellowship. Included in our repertoire are all the patriotic songs of the day. We are also making a study of the American Negro Music. The Negro Spiritual, and Negro Work Songs which is known as the foundation of true American Folk Music. Out of this study we plan to present for you a minstrel show in the true sense of the word. This will be given sometime in the spring. The good old melodies of Stephen Foster, W. S. Hayes and James A. Bland will be woven together into an interesting program that I think will prove its worth.

At the Commencement exercises last June the mixed chorus was heard in two numbers that were well received namely "Dance A Cachucha" by Gilbert & Sullivan and "Nightfall in Granada" by L. Bueno. The girls' chorus sang "Through the Dark the Dreamers Came," by M. Daniels. In the instrumental department we had three violins and one cornet, so for graduation I supplementetd this group with four players from the Wilmington orchestra namely a glockenspiel, two cornets and one flute. Mr. David Lynch played with us thus adding to our string section.

In other years I understand there has been a hired orchestra from outside for this function so we felt very proud in having

our own music. We played "Pomp and Circumstance March" by Elgar for the processional and "Sorella March" by Clerc for the recessional.

The annual concert in May was very well attended and gave us a net profit of $40.00. In the Christmas festival this year the Girls Chorus offered the two well known pieces "Angel Voices Ever Singing" and "Joy to the World." The mixed Chorus sang the ever popular "Jesu Bambino." A special glee club chosen from the Chorus sang, "Hosanna in the Highest" and "The Sleep of the Child Jesus" in conjunction with the Christmas play "Why the Chimes Rang," directed by Miss Doris Groesbeck. This program in its entirety was also presented the first Tuesday in December for the Parent-Teacher Association.

Throughout the year it has been my privilege to attend several meetings directed by various musical Educational clubs. The vein of thought underlying all the discussions seems to be "Music in the war and its effects on our schools," or one might put it "Our School and its effect in the war movement." We know that in the armed service all over the country our government is appropriating thousands of dollars for the sponsoring of recreational activity. As part of this great work the boys are brought together under capable leadership in the organization of Glee Clubs, Orchestras and Community Singing Groups. To provide their own entertainment is of great social value in keeping up the morale of our men. We in the schools must provide the necessary foundation for that great work. Educational and Cultural progress must continue in our school program. Hand in hand they build our democracy for whose preservation we are fighting. As time goes on we will see our Colleges all over the country close one by one. We in the schools especially High School must re-double our efforts on the Liberal Arts. There must be something here when "they" come home.

In closing let me extend my gratitude to Mr. Bean for his sincere understanding and cooperation with the Music Dept. To Miss Katherine Chandler I am deeply grateful for her help and interest which she has shown me. To our new principal, Mr. Herbert E. Hoyt, members of the faculty and student body I extend my sincere gratitude for their cooperation with the music department.

Respectfully submitted,

(signed) HARRIET G. DONEHUE,
Music Supervisor.

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF ART

Art today is selling the prosecution of the war to our people: it is selling the need for conservation, for enlisting in the services, for stamping out rumor, for cooperating with civilian agencies, for financially supporting the government and the Red Cross.

This year, along with our local seasonal drawings and handwork, a great part of our program has been related to the children's part in the war effort. They have made drawings of their activities, such as collecting scrap, buying stamps and learning first aid. They have also planned posters for war services. The High School group showed a special aptitude for this particular type of work.

Art is a morale builder. Its related activities develop confidence, good judgment, originality, and skill. Our President has stressed the great need for leisure time activities which strengthen morale. Art activities answer this need. Today, Art Education must do still more. It must deepen our concern for the integrity of the individual. It must share responsibility for shielding children from war maladjustments; for preparing adolescents to be useful, active citizens during the war period and following rehabilitation era; for fortifying adults to meet the obligations of war. And it has accepted this challenge. It is sharing these responsibilities. Art education is alert!

I am more than pleased with the results of this year's work. The success of the program has been largely due to the splendid co-operation, interest and efforts of the superintendent and all of the teachers on the staff, both old and new, to whom I am most grateful.

Respectfully Submitted,

MARY SHEA,

Art Supervisor, Tewksbury, Mass.

REPORT OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

To the School Committee of the Town of Tewksbury:

As School Physician I will make a brief report of the health status for the past year 1942.

Our school nurse has done her usual fine work in taking children to clinics, visiting homes and following up contagious cases. We have examined all of the children in school and sent home notices of irregularities found. The last half of the year we had many contagious cases of the minor group but none of serious nature. Our diphtheria clinic was well attended and our town is now very well protected, altho each spring we are to continue this clinic, particularly for pre-school cases.

HERBERT M. LARRABEE, M. D.

Jan. 1st, 1943. School Physician.

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

Mr. Stephen G. Bean
Superintendent of Schools
Tewksbury, Massachusetts

Sir:

Like all other committees this year, Tewksbury has had its share of contagion, but we who have had charge of the health work feel that the children have come through with practically no ill effects. This we believe was due largely to the hot lunch program which furnished such a well balanced diet. The children have shown an excellent gain in height, weight and appearance.

As you know we are living in an age of preventive instead of corrective methods in our work. Our Diphtheria and vaccination clinics this year proved our point when nearly two hundred children were immunized against Diphtheria, approximately fifty per cent were from eight months to five years of age, and seventy-five per cent were vaccinated with a large per cent of these being of pre-school age. Wish we might do even better this spring. With so much uncertainty and possibilities of unusual things happening in the world today, we must give our boys and girls of all ages every protection possible, and only as the parents co-operate with the health workers can this be accomplished to its fullest extent.

If all children could have known defects corrected before they enter school in the fall, much less time would be lost during the school year and the children would be in a much better condition to make the grade.

Respectfully submitted,

EDITH E. HAINES, R. N.

School Nurse.

ROSTER OF SCHOOL EMPLOYEES

January 4, 1943

	Name	School or Dept.	Address
Act. Prin.	Herbert Hoyt	High	Tewksbury
Teachers	Kathryn Chandler	High	Tewksbury
	Evelyn Dutton	High	Dracut
	Catherine Maguire	High	Lowell
	Doris Groesbeck	High	Lawrence
	Marjorie Stanley	High	Lawrence
	Elizabeth Mulrey	High	Tewksbury
	Elizabeth Hoyt	High	Tewksbury
	David Lynch	High	Lawrence
Principal	Ethelyn Howard	Foster 8	Tewksbury
Teachers	Ruth Lyons	Foster 7	Lowell
	Elizabeth Flynn	Foster 6	Chelmsford
	Marion Piper	Foster 5	Lowell
	Doris Blake	Foster 4	Wamesit
	Winifred Colbath	Foster 3	Tewksbury
	Virginia Cunningham	Foster 2	Lowell
	Catherine Meloy	Foster 1	N. Tewksbury
Principal	Ann Washburn	Shawsheen 7 & 8	Wilmington
Teachers	Edith Thornquist	Shawsheen 6 & 7	Reading
	Josephine Hedstrom	Shawsheen 4 & 5	Tewksbury
	Margaret Mathews	Shawsheen 3&4	Lowell
	Mary Katherina	Shawsheen 2	Tewksbury
	Margaret Oliver	Shawsheen 1	Tewksbury
Principal	Eva Hersey	E. Flemings 5-8	N. Tewksbury
	Helle Generales	Ella Flemings 1-4	Lowell
Supervisors	Mary Shea	Art	Salem
	Harriet Donehue	Music High	Lowell
	Alice Sturtevant	Music Elem.	Lowell
Health	Herbert M. Larrabee, M. D.	Physician	Tewksbury
	Edith Haines, R. N.	Nurse	Tewksbury
Janitors	Harry Wiley	High	Tewksbury
	Walter Lavelle	Foster	Tewksbury
	George Tolstrup	Shawsheen S.	Tewksbury
	Bronslaw Kohanski	Ella Flemings N.	Tewksbury
Trans.	Austin French (for Rita Furtado)		Tewksbury
	Fred Garlick		Tewksbury
	Omer Blanchard		No. Tewksbury
Supt.	Stephen G. Bean		Wilmington

SCHOOL CALENDAR 1943

January 4, 1943 to February 27, 1943

Vacation one week

March 8, 1943 to May 1, 1943

Vacation one week

May 10, 1943 to June 26, 1943

Summer vacation

September 8, 1943 to December 24, 1943

Christmas vacation

Schools open January 3, 1944

HOLIDAYS

February 22

Good Friday

April 19

May 30

October 12

November 11

Thanksgiving and the day after

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TOWN OFFICERS

ALSO

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OF THE

Town of Tewksbury

For the Year Ending December 31,

1943

PRESS OF
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LOWELL, MASS.

Town of Tewksbury

LIST OF TOWN OFFICERS—1943

MODERATOR

MELVIN G. ROGERS

SELECTMEN

IRVING F. FRENCH, Chairman

BERNARD H. GREENE EDWARD J. SULLIVAN

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

EDWARD J. SULLIVAN, Chairman

IRVING F. FRENCH BERNARD H. GREENE

BOARD OF HEALTH

BERNARD H. GREENE, Chairman

EDWARD J. SULLIVAN IRVING F. FRENCH

ASSESSORS

BUZZELL KING, Chairman

AUSTIN F. FRENCH HARRY P. NASH

TOWN CLERK

ALICE A. PIKE

TREASURER

GEORGE A. MARSHALL

COLLECTOR OF TAXES

HARRY C. DAWSON

TOWN AUDITOR

ROBERT E. GAY

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

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RALPH S. BATTLES J. HARPER GALE

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

STEPHEN G. BEANE

TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

HARRY PRIESTLY, Chairman

RUTH SMITH HAROLD J. PATTEN

MARIAN FRENCH EDGAR SMITH

DOROTHY FITZGERALD

LIBRARIAN

ABBIE M. BLAISDELL

ROAD COMMISSIONERS

THOMAS P. SAWYER, Chairman

CHESTER M. ROPER LOUIS O. BERUBE

SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

RICHARD F. O'NEILL

TREE WARDEN

HARRIS M. BRIGGS

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

HERBERT A. FAIRBROTHER, Chairman

ALICE A. PIKE, Clerk

WILLIAM H. BENNETT GEORGE J. McCOY

CONSTABLES

CYRIL L. BARKER LAUCHIE McPHAIL

JEREMIAH J. HOULIHAN

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

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REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

Records of Warrants and Proceedings of the Town Meetings.

Records of Births, Marriages and Deaths.

Statement of Money Paid the Town Treasurer and to the Division of Fisheries and Game.

WARRANT FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Middlesex, ss:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town Affairs, to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury on Wednesday, February 3, 1943, at ten o'clock A. M., to act on the following articles:

ART. 1. To choose all necessary Town Officers, to choose by ballot a Moderator, Town Clerk, three Selectmen, three members of the Board of Public Welfare, three members of the Board of Health, a Town Treasurer, an Auditor, a Collector of Taxes, a Tree Warden and three Constables, all to serve one year; one Highway Commissioner to serve three years; one member of the School Committee to serve three years; two Trustees of the Public Library to serve three years; one Park Commissioner to serve three years; one Assessor to serve three years, one Assessor to serve two years to fill a vacancy; one Commissioner of Trust Fund to serve three years.

The polls for the election of Town Officers to be opened at ten o'clock A. M. and to be closed at 8 P. M.

And you are also hereby further required and directed to notify and warn the said inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, who are qualified to vote on elections and Town affairs, therein to assemble subsequently and meet in Town Meeting at the Town Hall in said Town of Tewksbury on Wednesday, February 10, 1943, at eight o'clock P. M., then and there to act on the following articles:

ART. 2. To hear reports of Town officers and committees and act thereon.

ART. 3. To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise by taxation to defray necessary expenses for the current year, and make appropriations for the same.

ART. 4. To see if the Town will vote the money arising from licensing dogs, for the ensuing year to aid in support of the Public Library.

ART. 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1943, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

VOTED: That the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1943, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ART. 6. To see what regulations the Town will make for the possession, management and sale of land sold for unpaid taxes and for the assignment of Tax Titles not inconsistent with law or with the right of redemption as provided by Sec. 52 of Chap. 60 of the General Laws as amended by Sec. 3 of Chapter 126 of the Acts of 1927, and to see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for the enforcement of such rules and regulations.

ART. 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $350.00 for the proper observance of Memorial Day, and appoint a committee to expend the money. Said committee to be taken from members of Spanish War Veterans, American Legion, or Sons of Veterans.

ART. 8. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to institute suits on behalf of the Town or defend any suits that are, or may be brought against the Town, and to sign any contracts or agreements in behalf of the Town.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will vote to accept Section 1 of Chapter 123 of the Acts of 1939 which was an amendment of Section 1 of Chapter 358 of the Acts of 1938.

Section 1 of Chapter 123 of the Acts of 1939 is as follows:—The Mayor of any city or the Selectmen of any Town which holds property acquired by foreclosure of tax titles or acquired under the section eighty of chapter sixty of the General Laws may appoint a custodian who shall have while this act remains in effect the care, custody, management and control of all property so acquired by said city or town, whether acquired before or after his appointment, or before or after the effective date of this act. The custodian shall serve during the pleasure of the mayor or Selectmen and shall receive as his compensation, if any, a sum fixed by the mayor or the Board of Selectmen.

ART. 10. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum sufficient to pay the County of Middlesex, as required by law, the Town's share of the net cost of the care, maintenance, and repair of the Middlesex County Tuberculosis Hospital, as assessed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 111 of the General Laws and Acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto including Chapter 400, Section 25 G (6) (a) of the Acts of 1936 or take any action in relation thereto.

ART. 11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell, after first giving notice of the time and place of sale by posting such notice of sale in some convenient and public place in the town fourteen days at least before the sale, property taken by the town under tax title procedure provided that the selectmen or whomsoever they may authorize to hold such public auction may reject any bid which they deem inadequate, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 12. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Board of Selectmen to sell any parcel or parcels of land acquired by the Town through Tax Title foreclosure proceedings whose Tax Title value is less than $50.00, for whatever sum it may be in their judgment to the best interest of the Town, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 13. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen and the Treasurer to foreclose either through the Land Court or by affidavit of the Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation, any Tax Title held by the Town for more than two years, and to see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate therefor or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 14. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Road Machinery Fund and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing, repairing and operating road machinery; to which fund shall be accredited—in addition to the sum appropriated—such sums as may be allotted for the use of town-owned highway equipment operated for highway purposes in conjunction with the State and County, or take any other action thereto.

ART. 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2000. for the Maintenance of Chapter 90, Highways: said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 16. To see what sum the Town will vote to pay the Town Treasurer as a salary for the year of 1943.

ART. 17. To see if the Town will vote to install one street light on Court St. between Washington St. and Clinton St. or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 18. To see if the Town will vote to install one light on Main St. near the residence of Leo Morris, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 19. To see if the Town will vote to increase the salary of the Inspector of Slaughtering $200.00 per year, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 20. To see if the Town will vote to purchase the property on the south side of the Town Hall, now owned by the Lowell Co-operative Bank, appropriate $3,000.00 for same, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 21. To see if the Town will vote to approve the lay-out of the road commissioners relocating Texas Road, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money sufficient to erect and maintain a memorial and honor roll which will contain the names of all citizens and residents of the Town of Tewksbury who have entered and served in the armed forces of the United States of America in the present war.

ART. 23. To see if the Town will vote to place a day man and a night man on duty at the Fire Station, with a salary of $35.00 per week, for each man, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 24. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $500.00 to gravel Robinson Avenue 14 ft. wide, on the original road, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 25. To see if the Town will vote to choose by ballot at the Annual Town Meeting in February 1944 three Selectmen, three members of the Board of Public Welfare, and three members of the Board of Health, one to serve three years, one to serve two years and one to serve one year, and each succeeding year to choose by ballot one Selectman, one member of the Board of Public Welfare and one member of the Board of Health, to serve for the period of three years or to take any action relative to same.

ART. 26. To see if the Town will vote that all Motor Vehicles owned by the Town of Tewksbury shall be lettered with the name of Department to which the vehicle belongs, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding $350 for repairs to and maintenance of the athletic field and structures thereon at the High School and for the maintenance of athletics at the High School.

ART. 28. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for a reserve fund under Section 6 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws or take any other action thereto.

ART. 29. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the expenses of the School Lunch Project in conjunction with Federal W.P.A. Funds, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 30. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for necessary expenses of the Civilian Defense Committee, or take any other action thereto.

ART. 31. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $50.00 in support of the Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture, through the Middlesex County Extension Service, and elect a director. Said money to be spent under the direction of the local director, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 32. To see if the Town will vote to pay the following unpaid bills: vocational school $43.09, dog officer $98.50, police $42.63, fire department $62.80 or take any action relative to same.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and leave one hundred copies for the use of the citizens at the Post Office in said Town, 8 days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid:—

Given under our hands, this 13th day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and forty-three.

IRVING F. FRENCH,
BERNARD H. GREENE,
DUNCAN J. CAMERON,
} **Selectmen of Tewksbury**

A true copy attest:

CYRIL L. BARKER

Constable of Tewksbury

ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION

Town Hall, Tewksbury, Massachusetts, February 3, 1943

Middlesex ss.

At a meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town Affairs, held this day at the Town Hall the following business was transacted. The Warrant was read by the presiding Election Officer, Irving F. French. Mr. French then administered the oath of office to the following tellers: Jesse J. French, William A. Smith, Anna E. McPhillips, Thomas F. Sullivan, William H. McGowan, and Arthur W. Wells. The Town Clerk was given a receipt for 1,700 ballots. Register showed 0000 on the Ballot Box and check lists were in order. The Polls were opened at Ten O'Clock A. M. The Polls were officially closed at Eight O'Clock P. M. with the register showing 842 votes cast. However, the ballot box jammed on one ballot and registered two numbers for one vote and check lists showed 841 names checked as having voted, which number agreed with ballots counted. Following is official result of count.

Selectmen for One Year

Duncan J. Cameron	448 votes	
Irving F. French	526 votes	(elected and sworn)
Bernard H. Greene	468 votes	(elected and sworn)
Antonio R. Mello	67 votes	
Edward J. Sullivan	475 votes	(elected and sworn)
Blanks	539	

Board of Public Welfare for One Year

Duncan J. Cameron	465 votes	
Irving F. French	539 votes	(elected and sworn)
Bernard H. Greene	486 votes	(elected and sworn)
Edward J. Sullivan	489 votes	(elected and sworn)
Blanks	544	

Board of Health for One Year

Duncan J. Cameron	454 votes	
Irving F. French	531 votes	(elected and sworn)
Bernard H. Greene	483 votes	(elected and sworn)
Edward J. Sullivan	491 votes	(elected and sworn)
Blanks	564	

Assessor for Three Years

Buzzell King .....647 votes (elected and sworn)
Blanks 194

Assessor for Two Years

Clifford H. Anderson.....267 votes
Harold M. Carson.....219 votes
Harry P. Nash.....293 votes (elected and sworn)
George Gale ..... 1 vote
Blanks 61

Clerk for One Year

Alice A. Pike.....698 votes (elected and sworn)
Blanks 143

Treasurer for One Year

George A. Marshall.....737 votes (elected and sworn)
Blanks 104

Auditor for One Year

Robert E. Gay.....697 votes (elected and sworn)
Blanks 144

Moderator for One Year

Melvin G. Rogers.....687 votes
Winthrop Jones ..... 1 vote
Blanks 153

Tax Collector for One Year

Harry C. Dawson.....695 votes (elected and sworn)
V. Cluff ..... 1 vote
Blanks 145

Tree Warden for One Year

Harris M. Briggs.....696 votes (elected and sworn)
F. Goodwin ..... 1 vote
Blanks 144

Trust Fund Commissioner for Three Years

Edwin W. Osterman	651 votes	(elected and sworn)
Blanks	190	

Constables for One Year (Three to be Elected)

Cyril L. Barker	637 votes	(elected and sworn)
Lauchie McPhail	639 votes	(elected and sworn)
Jeremiah Houlihan	10 votes	(elected and sworn)
George Hazel	6 votes	
George Gale	4 votes	
D. Sterling	3 votes	
Charles Hazel	1 vote	
H. Briggs	1 vote	
A. Kohanski	1 vote	
L. E. Marion	1 vote	
M. W. Roper, Jr.	4 votes	
Ed. Sheehan	2 votes	
L. Berube	1 vote	
G. McCoy	6 votes	
W. Jones	1 vote	
F. Goodwin	1 vote	
L. Bouef	2 votes	
A. Battles	1 vote	
Earl Lye	1 vote	
C. L. Payne	1 vote	
T. Sullivan	1 vote	
R. O'Brien	1 vote	
G. Robertson	1 vote	
Blanks	1197	

Highway Commissioner for Three Years

Louis O. Berube	643 votes	(elected)
Winthrop Jones	1 vote	
W. Ackles	5 votes	
J. T. Gale	1 vote	
Blanks	191	

School Committee for Three Years

May L. Larrabee	419 votes	(elected and sworn)
William J. O'Neill	362 votes	(elected and sworn)
Blanks	60	

Trustees Public Library for Three Years

Ruth W. Smith	655 votes	(elected and sworn)
Edgar Smith	621 votes	(elected and sworn)
Blanks	406	

Park Commissioner for Three Years

Walter C. Roberts	668 votes	(elected and sworn)
Mark Roper	1 vote	
Harris Briggs, Jr.	1 vote	
M. H. Shanley	1 vote	
Charles Bowden	1 vote	
Blanks	169	

Meeting adjourned at ten fifteen (10.15) o'clock P. M.

A true record.

Attest: ALICE A. PIKE,

Town Clerk of Tewksbury

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Town Hall, Tewksbury, Massachusetts

February 10, 1943

At a Meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town Affairs, held this day, at the Town Hall, Tewksbury, Massachusetts, the following business was transacted:—

The Meeting was called to order by Moderator Melvin G. Rogers at eight o'clock P. M. A necessary quorum was found to be present and Rev. S. Nelson Ringsmuth, pastor of the North Tewksbury Baptist Church offered prayer.

ART. 1. (Acted on at the Meeting held February 3, 1943).

ART. 2. All reports of Town Officers and Committees accepted.

ART. 3. VOTED: To lay on the table.

ART. 4. VOTED: That money arising from licensing dogs, for the ensuing year be used in support of the Library.

ART. 5. To authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1943, and to issue note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Sec. 17, Chap. 44, General Laws.

ART. 6. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone.

ART. 7. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $350.00 for the proper observance of Memorial Day. Committee to be appointed by the Moderator.

ART. 8. VOTED: That the selectmen be and hereby are authorized to institute suits on behalf of the Town or defend any suits that are or may be brought against the Town, and to sign any contracts or agreements in behalf of the Town.

ART. 9. VOTED: That the Town accept Section 1 of Chapter 123 of the Acts of 1939 which was an amendment of Section 1 of Chapter 358 of the Acts of 1938.

ART. 10. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $1,284.60 for the purposes outlined in this Article.

ART. 11. VOTED: That the Selectmen be and are hereby authorized to sell, after first giving notice of the time and place of sale by posting such notice of sale in some convenient and public place in the town fourteen days at least before the sale, property taken by the town under tax title procedure provided that the selectmen or whomsoever they may authorize to hold such public auction may reject any bid which they deem inadequate.

ART. 12. VOTED: That the Town Treasurer is hereby authorized with the approval of the Board of Selectmen to sell any parcel or parcels of land acquired by the Town through Tax Title foreclosure proceedings whose Tax Title value is less than $50.00, for whatever sum it may be in their judgment to the best interest of the Town.

ART. 13. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $500 for the foreclosure of Tax Titles held by the Town for more than two years either through the Land Court or by affidavit of the Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation.

ART. 14. VOTED: That the Town appropriate the sum of $1,500.00 plus the unexpended balance of $760.00 at present in the Highway Machinery Fund, together with all sums allotted for the use of road machinery operated in conjunction with the State and County, and that the Highway Commissioners be and hereby are authorized to purchase from such fund, whenever in their judgment it becomes necessary, whatever new equipment, or trucks the Highway Department may need; and to pay whatever costs of repairs and maintenance that may be incurred in the usual operations of the Highway Department, provided that at the time of the above purchases there shall be in said Highway Machinery Fund, money sufficient to pay for the articles so purchased.

ART. 15. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $2000.00 for the Maintenance of Chapter 90, Highways; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both for this purpose.

ART. 16. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $2000.00 to pay the Town Treasurer as a salary for the year of 1943. See Art. 3 regarding clerical hire.

ART. 17. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone.

ART. 18. VOTED: To install one light on Main St. near the residence of Leo Morris. $18.00 appropriated for this purpose.

ART. 19. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone.
Moved and seconded to take up Article 25 at this time.

ART. 25. VOTED: That this article be adopted.

ART. 20. VOTED: To raise and appropriate $3000.00 to purchase the property on the south side of the Town Hall.

ART. 21. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone.

ART. 22. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $150.00 to erect and maintain a memorial and honor roll which will contain the names of all citizens and residents of the Town of Tewksbury who have entered and served in the armed forces of the United States of America in the present war.

ART. 23. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone.

ART. 24. VOTED: That this article be referred to the Highway Commissioners.

ART. 26. VOTED: That this article be referred to the Board of Selectmen.

ART. 27. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $350.00 for repairs to and maintenance of the athletic field and structures thereon at the High School and for the maintenance of athletics at the High School.

ART. 28. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $5000.00 for the purposes outlined in this article.

ART. 29. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $1050.00 for the School Lunch Project in conjunction with Federal W.P.A. Funds.

ART. 30. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $600.00 for necessary expenses of the Civilian Defense Committee.

ART. 31. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $50.00 for the purpose outlined in this article.

ART. 32. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the following sums to pay the following unpaid bills: Vocational School, $43.09, Police Dept., $42.63. Also $62.80 for the Fire Dept. and $98.50 for the Dog Officer. (This was a unanimous vote).

Voted to take ART. 3 from the table and act thereon:

ART. 3. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the following sums:

Street Lighting	$ 6,250.00
Incidentals	1,200.00
Highways	15,000.00
Schools	62,746.00
Library (Dog Tax)	1,300.00
Police	10,127.40
Stationery and Printing	1,200.00
Board of Health	3,500.00
Park Commission	250.00
Tree Warden	1,500.00
Department of Public Welfare	8,000.00
Aid to Dependent Children (Plus Federal Grant)	4,500.00
Bureau to Old Age Assistance (Plus Federal Grant)	16,000.00
Fire Department	10,329.50
Town Hall	3,000.00
Assessors	3,000.00
Vocational School	1,500.00
Inspection of Meat and Animals	700.00
Aid, State and Military	2,500.00
Interest on Loans	600.00
Collection of Taxes	1,000.00
Municipal Insurance	1,500.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	225.00
Dog Officer ($100 of this amt. for keeping of dogs)	300.00
Maintenance, Legion Headquarters	125.00
Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths	1,500.00
Board of Registrars	600.00
Clerical Hire (Treasurer's Office)	300.00
Total	$158,752.90

SALARIES

Auditor	1,000.00
Town Clerk (exclusive of fees)	750.00
Tax Collector	1,850.00
Selectmen	1,100.00
Election Officers	36.00
School Committee	225.00
Road Commissioners	400.00
Treasurer	2,000.00

VOTED: That $10,000.00 be taken from Reserve Fund to reduce tax rate.

Meeting adjourned at 10.30 P. M.

A true record. Attest:

ALICE A. PIKE, Town Clerk.

VITAL STATISTICS 1943

Births

Births recorded in the Town of Tewksbury
for the Year 1943.

No.	Date of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Parents
1	Jan. 5	James Harold Gath	Frederick and Louise
2	Jan. 8	Elizabeth Ann Gilooly	William and Alice
3	Feb. 2	Sarah Jane Hazel	George and Barbara
4	Feb. 3	Jacqueline A. Therriault	Emile and Jeannette
5	Jan. 11	———————	———————
6	Jan. 22	David Warner Dumas	Michael and Beatrice
7	Feb. 5	Jo Ann Liakos	James and Constance
8	Feb. 19	John David Farley	James and Emma
9	Feb. 12	Thomas Edward Garside	David and Marion
10	Feb. 17	Catherine Elizabeth Ensor	Albert and Doris
11	Feb. 19	Marylyn Lucille Johnson	Andrew and Mary
12	Mar. 16	Sandra Elizabeth Price	Richard and Ada
13	Mar. 17	Patrick Joseph Sullivan	Frank and Catherine
14	Mar. 17	Carol Ann Burgess	Philip and Florence
15	Mar. 25	Mary Jane Gath	Charles and Jeannette
16	Mar. 28	Barbara Anne Harrington	John and Helen
17	May 2	Jacqueline Marie Berube	William and Mary
18	Mar. 28	———————	———————
19	Apr. 2	John Joseph Lawrie	William and Margaret
20	Apr. 8	Ann Catherine Larsen	Alfred and Katherine
21	Apr. 12	Robert William Morris	Peter and Gladys
22	Apr. 24	——————— O'Connell	Arthur and Anna
23	Apr. 25	Harriet Myrtle Decker	Floyd and Elizabeth
24	Apr. 29	Katherine Mary Young	Thomas and Margaret
25	May 3	Frank Irving Goodwin	Frank and Alice
26	May 4	——————— Roberts	Francis and Josephine
27	May 23	Nancy Rita Downs	Raymond and Florence
28	May 30	Ronald Giguere	Albany and Cecile
29	May 7	Grace Louise Gray	Victor and Reba
30	June 4	———————	———————
31	May 20	Robert Francis Labonte	Albert and Estelle
32	May 13	David Lee Richards	Anthony and Phyllis
33	June 24	Bonnie Louise Daly	Edward and Ethel
34	June 6	David Joseph Szurley	Joseph and Rita
35	Aug. 25	Therese Marie Lemelin	Elzeard and Mary
36	June 26	Josephine DiPalma	Michael and Josephine
37	July 7	Carol Ann Kohanski	Walter and Helen
38	July 12	Frank Carl Powers	John and Ottilie

No.	Date of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Parents
39	July 16	Dennis Louise O'Connell	Louis and Bertha
40	July 20	Duncan Cameron Farmer	H. Louis and Audrey
41	July 30	Lawrence Anthony Manica	Lawrence and Rose
42	Aug. 18	———————— Fisher	Albert and Frances
43	Aug. 25	Nancy Lee Garland	Ralph and Mary
44	Sept. 10	Valerie Joan Alden	Everett and Lily
45	Aug. 27	Theodore Richard Thing	Leroy and Celia
46	Sept. 9	Robert Vincent Zelonis	Vincent and Mary
47	Sept. 9	Sandra Louise Hague	Gardner and Edna
48	Sept. 25	Nancy Carroll Seamons	Arthur and Irene
49	Oct. 12	Beverly Lorraine Maclaren	George and Myrtle
50	Sept. 20	Pamela Lacy	John R. and Mildred
51	May 31	Virginia Tefft	Thomas and Christina
52	Oct. 25	Brenda Irene Falcon	Gabriel and Irene
53	Oct. 29	Percy Leighton Roberts	Harold and Hope
54	Nov. 19	Paul Monbleau	Lucien and Eleanor
55	Jan. 31	Carol Ann Dango	Anthony and Helen
56	May 13	Charles Edgar Hewitt	Alfred and Dorothy
57	Aug. 12	Ellen Ann Leahy	William and Mary
58	Jan. 10	Douglas Arthur Rhine	Carl and Antoinette
59	May 2	Anna Marie Turner	William and Eva
60	May 24	Donald Walter Morris	Walter and Flora
61	Sept. 19	William Robert Burris, Jr.	William and Catherine
62	Oct. 2	Clement Conners	Phillip and Rose
63	Nov. 4	Ruth Ann Foote	Myron and Jessie
64	Nov. 15	Carol Anne Keene	Gerald and Margaret
65	Dec. 23	Wendell Charles Brazee	Louis and Elizabeth
66	Dec. 8	Richard Earle Patterson	Harry and Grace
67	Dec. 15	———————— Bernat	Adam and Wanda
68	Oct. 5	———————— Burnham	Edward and Doris
69	Dec. 27	Diane Roberta Jackson	Gordon and Barbara

Marriages

No.	Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
1	Jan. 1	John Edgar Greenwood	Lowell, Mass.
		Dorothy May Roper	Tewksbury, Mass.
2	Jan. 3	Gabriel Falcon	Methuen, Mass.
		Irene Rita Martin	Tewksbury, Mass.
3	Jan. 16	Walter A. Baluta	Tewksbury, Mass.
		June Nettel	Fitchburg, Mass.
4	Feb. 16	William A. Rychwa	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Estelle M. Arsenault	Lowell, Mass.

No.	Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
5	Feb. 23	Elias W. McCormack	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Aileen W. McNamara	Lowell, Mass.
6	Feb. 20	Pasquale Nardone	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Germana C. Ferrarini	Somerville, Mass.
7	Mar. 7	Samuel G. Stephens	Chelmsford, Mass.
		Elaine M. Roux	Tewksbury, Mass.
8	Mar. 15	Walter Stanley Roman	Cambridge, Mass.
		Rose Margaret Smith	Tewksbury, Mass.
9	Mar. 21	Henry B. Lawson	Lowell, Mass.
		Norma M. Darby	Tewksbury, Mass.
10	Apr. 4	Wilmer Speke Garlick	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Joyce Irene Scammell	Tewksbury, Mass.
11	Mar. 14	Harold L. Slaney	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Ethel Louise Black	Lowell, Mass.
12	Apr. 18	William R. Burris	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Catherine Morris	Tewksbury, Mass.
13	Apr. 18	S. Albert Kaufman	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Rose Rabinovitz	Tewksbury, Mass.
14	Apr. 17	Arthur N. Tingley	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Arlene E. Olson	Tewksbury, Mass.
15	May 2	Bennie DiPalma	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Lillian Wolf	Tewksbury, Mass.
16	May 9	Leroy H. Curseaden, Jr.	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Esther C. Loynes	Lowell, Mass.
17	May 8	Warren R. Crabell	Tamer, Colorado
		Constance M. Martin	Lowell, Mass.
18	June 5	Robert U. King	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Phyllis M. Trull	Tewksbury, Mass.
19	June 12	John Andre Pinatel	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Rosamond Mann	Tewksbury, Mass.
20	June 15	Edward Paul Boucher	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Geraldine Jane Murphy	Lowell, Mass.
21	June 19	Frank A. Casazza	Arlington, Mass.
		Mary Alice Mackey	Tewksbury, Mass.
22	June 27	John A. Fell	Lowell, Mass.
		Georgianna M. Dickey	Tewksbury, Mass.
23	July 11	James Francis Whittet	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Constance Louise Currier	Tewksbury, Mass.
24	July 24	Howard Leonard Fratus	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Louise Marie Ganshirt	Somerville, Mass.
25	July 25	Albert Leo Roper	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Mary Anne Donnelly	Lowell, Mass.
26	July 31	Bertram Garfield Clarke	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Laura Louise Reynolds	Tewksbury, Mass.

No.	Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
27	Aug. 25	William Amos Stover	Maynard Mass.
		Doris Agnes Grady	Maynard, Mass.
28	Sept. 4	George E. A'Hearn	Lowell, Mass.
		Jeannette LaFleur	Bristol, Conn.
29	Sept. 7	Paul J. Sullivan	Lowell, Mass.
		Philomena Phyllis DiPalma	Tewksbury, Mass.
30	Sept. 10	Albert Greenhalge Fisher, Jr.	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Helena Budenas	Lawrence, Mass.
31	Sept. 12	Leonard J. Keough	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Doris E. MacIntyre	Malden, Mass.
32	Sept. 20	Fred Bason	Dracut, Mass.
		Pauline L. Bowley	Tewksbury, Mass.
33	Sept. 26	Albin Lipskas	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Bronya Baliunas	So. Boston, Mass.
34	Oct. 6	John E. Lamontagne	Lowell, Mass.
		Lois Josephine Kane	Lowell, Mass.
35	Oct. 17	Gerard C. Roy	Newmarket, N. H.
		Alice M. Patenaude	Tewksbury, Mass.
36	Oct. 2	Harold R. Stanton	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Edna F. (Doherty) Riley	Woburn, Mass.
37	Oct. 31	Leroy Edwin MacDonald	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Ruth Barbara Gibson	Wakefield, Mass.
38	Nov. 6	George Silva	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Blanche Tymula Lisay	Tewksbury, Mass.
39	Nov. 5	Ralph Rutherford Bennett	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Dorothy Lucille Trull	Lowell, Mass.
40	Oct. 9	David D. Doiron	Roxbury, Mass.
		Rita H. Furtado	Tewksbury, Mass.
41	Nov. 14	Myers J. Reynolds 3rd	Malone, N. Y.
		Nancy Guild Goodwin	Tewksbury, Mass.
42	Nov. 16	John Fred Grigas	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Rita Gaulin	Lowell, Mass.
43	Nov. 14	Lawrence J. Gadue	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Ethel F. McPartlin	Fort Wright, N. Y.
44	Nov. 24	Francis R. Turner	Lowell, Mass.
		Georgianna M. Barrows	Lowell, Mass.
45	Nov. 27	Russell F. Gath	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Shirley B. Smith	Chelmsford, Mass.
46	Nov. 27	Alfred Thompson	Cambridge, Mass.
		Rita Manning	Tewksbury, Mass.
47	Dec. 14	Walter Louis Clark	E. Deerfield, Mass.
		Beatrice Marquette Smith	Tewksbury, Mass.
48	Dec. 24	Herbert Wesley Pickering	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Elsie Helena Cooley	Tewksbury, Mass.

Deaths

No.	Date of Death	Name	vrs.	mos.	days
1	Jan. 11	————————			
2	Feb. 15	Lillian McDonald	58	—	—
3	Feb. 21	Josephine Houghton Hill	69	1	8
4	Feb. 22	Emma Carrie Dawson	79	7	25
5	Feb. 6	Mary Flynn	53	—	—
6	Feb. 2	Charles Frederick Hacker	73	—	—
7	Mar. 4	Neil Terrance Flaherty		5	10
8	Mar. 27	George G. Robinson	69	8	13
9	Mar. 29	————————			
10	Apr. 12	Edward Sullivan	—	7	—
11	Apr. 22	Thomas F. O'Brien	53	7	7
12	Apr. 25	John Joseph Cooney	66	5	29
13	Apr. 27	———————— O'Connell	—	—	4
14	Apr. 26	Jesse E. Kemp	58	6	1
15	May 8	William B. Nugent	70	—	—
16	May 20	Luke Powers	69	—	—
17	May 10	William Henry Colby	84	—	—
18	May 13	Dora L. Hutchins	79	1	28
19	June 6	George Elmer Bennett	79	4	18
20	May 14	Theresa Furtado	12	3	—
21	June 4	————————			
22	July 8	William F. Grimes	76	10	28
23	July 19	Arthur R. Miles	45	9	1
24	July 22	Susan Genevieve (Allen) Patten	91	1	12
25	July 23	Daniel T. Sullivan	75	—	—
26	June 27	Hilda Suprenant	41	10	28
27	June 9	Fannie Riggs	64	2	16
28	Aug. 11	Anna Abrams	62	—	—
29	Aug. 19	Leroy Gordon	67	6	11
30	July 4	Charles J. Carden	70	11	26
31	Sept. 16	Minnie C. Swansburg	64	—	21
32	Sept. 24	Lilly E. Miller	68	6	2
33	Aug. 21	Mary Conway	71	—	—
34	Aug. 22	Annie B. Lyons	82	—	—
35	Aug. 31	Mary Alice Gage Thomas	75	—	—
36	Oct. 1	Harry Suslovich	61	—	—
37	Nov. 13	————————			
38	Dec. 24	Franklin Fearing Spaulding	50	7	20
39	Dec. 26	Jane (Jamieson) Campbell	91	1	1
40	Oct. 7	Herbert A. Page	90	8	1
41	Nov. 9	Ann Gertrude McDonald	69	2	11

RECAPITULATION

Births	69
a. Females	37
b. Males	32
Marriages	48
Deaths	41
a. Females	18
b. Males	23

THE TOWN CLERK HEREBY GIVES NOTICE THAT SHE IS PREPARED TO FURNISH PARENTS, HOUSEHOLDERS, PHYSICIANS AND MIDWIVES, APPLYING THEREFOR, BLANKS FOR THE RETURN OF BIRTHS AS REQUIRED BY LAW.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Received and paid to the Town Treasurer for Licenses, permits, fees, etc. Four hundred and seventeen dollars and thirty-eight cents. ($417.38).

Received and paid to the Town Treasurer for Dog Licenses, eight hundred and ten dollars and eighty cents. ($810.80).

Received and paid to the Division of Fisheries and Game for licenses, three hundred and ninety-six dollars and fifteen cents. ($396.15).

This makes a total of one thousand six hundred and twenty-four dollars and thirty-three cents. ($1,624.33).

Attest:

ALICE A. PIKE,

Town Clerk

April 22, 1943

To the Board of Selectmen
Mr. Irving F. French, Chairman
Tewksbury, Massachusetts.

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report of an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Tewksbury for the period from April 6, 1941, to February 23, 1943, made in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44, General Laws. This is in the form of a report made to me by Mr. Herman B. Dine, Assistant Director of Accounts.

Very truly yours,

THEODORE N. WADDELL,

Director of Accounts.

Mr. Theodore N. Waddell
Director of Accounts
Department of Corporations and Taxation
State House, Boston

Sir:

In accordance with your instructions, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Tewksbury for the period from April 6, 1941, the date of the previous examination, to February 23, 1943, and report thereon as follows:

The financial transactions, as recorded on the books of the several departments receiving or disbursing money for the town or committing bills for collection, were examined and checked for the audit period.

The appropriation accounts as kept by the town auditor were analyzed and checked with the treasurer's records of disbursements, general ledger accounts were compiled, and a balance sheet showing the financial condition of the town on February 23, 1943, was prepared and is appended to this report.

As may be noted from the appended balance sheet, a balance of $169.22 is still due from a former tax collector, and it is recommended that provision be made for this amount.

The books and accounts of the town treasurer were examined and checked in detail. The recorded receipts were analyzed and verified by comparison with the records of the several departments collecting money for the town and with other sources from which money was paid into the town treasury, while the recorded payments were checked with the approved bills and pay-rolls.

It was noted that a number of paid bills lacked sufficient detail or itemization, and it is recommended that no bills be approved for payment unless they are itemized sufficiently so as to enable the selectmen to determine the correctness of the charge, in compliance with Section 52, Chapter 41, General Laws.

It was also noted that the town annually pays the premium on an accident insurance policy for its firemen. It would appear that this payment is for a purpose not authorized by Section 5, Chapter 40, General Laws.

The treasurer's cash book was footed and the cash balance on February 23, 1943, was verified by actual count of the cash in the office and by reconciliation of the bank balance with a statement furnished by the bank of deposit.

The payments on account of maturing debt and interest were checked with the amounts falling due and with the cancelled securities and coupons on file.

The savings bank books and securities representing the investments of the several trust and investment funds in the custody of the town treasurer were examined and listed, the income and withdrawals being verified.

The tax titles held by the town were listed from the records of the town treasurer and all transactions pertaining thereto were verified.

The books and accounts of the collector of taxes were examined and checked. The tax accounts outstanding according to the previous examination, and all subsequent commitments, were audited and verified by comparison with the warrants issued by the board of assessors for their collection. The recorded collections were compared with the payments to the treasurer as shown by the treasurer's books, the abatements as entered were checked with the assessors' records of abatements granted, the transfers to the tax title account were verified, and the outstanding accounts were listed and proved.

Verification of the outstanding accounts was obtained by mailing notices to a number of persons whose accounts showed as unpaid on the books, and from the replies received thereto it appears that the accounts, as listed, are correct.

The collector's cash balance on February 23, 1943, was verified by actual count and by reconciliation of the bank balance.

The town clerk's records of financial votes passed by the town meetings were examined and all appropriations, loan orders, and transfers as voted were checked with the appropriation accounts.

Attention is called to the provisions of Section 108, Chapter 41, General Laws, which require that the compensation of all elected officers be fixed by vote of the town.

In connection with the road machinery fund established by vote of the town, attention is again called to the fact that receipts from the rental of highway equipment credited to the fund may be used only by vote of the town appropriating a specific amount from the accumulated receipts on hand for the maintenance and operation of road machinery or for the purchase of new equipment.

It was noted that an appropriation was voted at the annual town meeting of February 10, 1943, for unpaid bills of 1942. Attention in this connection is called to Chapter 179, Acts of 1941, which provides that appropriations for unpaid bills of a prior year may be voted at an annual meeting by a four-fifths vote or at a special meeting by a nine-tenths vote of the voters present and voting, and which further requires that certain certificates be filed with the selectmen before the bills may be paid by the treasurer.

The financial records of the town clerk were examined and checked. The records of receipts on account of dog, sporting, and town licenses issued and from recording fees, etc., were examined, the payments to the town treasurer and to the Division of Fisheries and Game being verified.

The records of public welfare accounts receivable were examined and checked. The records of charges were analyzed, the payments to the treasurer were verified, and the outstanding accounts were listed and proved.

The records of licenses and permits issued by the selectmen and by the board of health, of fees from sealing and adjusting weights and measures, and of departmental cash collections by the police, school and library departments were examined and checked, the recorded collections being compared with the payments to the treasurer.

It is recommended that the selectmen keep a record of all licenses granted by them, showing in detail the fees received and the payments to the treasurer.

The surety bonds furnished by the several officials for the faithful performance of their duties were examined and found to be in proper form.

In addition to the balance sheet, there are appended to this report tables showing a reconciliation of the treasurer's, tax collector's, and town clerk's cash, summaries of the tax, tax title and departmental accounts, together with schedules showing the transactions and condition of the trust funds.

For the cooperation received from all town officials during the progress of the audit, I wish, on behalf of my assistants and for myself, to express appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN B. DINE,

Assistant Director of Accounts.

TOWN OF TEWKSBURY

Balance Sheet — February 23, 1943

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

Assets

Cash:		
General	$ 38,933.22	
Discrepancy, Robert W. Barron, Former Collector	169.22	
		$ 39,102.44
Accounts Receivable:		
Taxes:		
Levy of 1941:		
Real Estate	$ 5,274.42	
Levy of 1942:		
Poll	18.00	
Personal	383.52	
Real Estate	16,891.48	
		22,567.42
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes:		
Levy of 1941	$ 2.00	
Levy of 1942	26.13	
Levy of 1943	664.56	
		692.69

Liabilities and Reserves

Overpayment Reserved for Refund, Taxes—1938		$ 6.44
Dog Licenses—Due County		18.60
Road Machinery Fund		362.90
Land of Low Value Sales Surplus		390.77
Victory Tax Deductions		210.93
Federal Grants:		
Old Age Assistance—Administration	$ 73.52	
Old Age Assistance—Assistance	1,211.76	
Aid to Dependent Children—Administration	14.73	
Aid to Dependent Children—Aid	229.25	
		1,529.26
County Hospital Assessment		1,284.60

Tax Titles and Possessions:		
Tax Titles	**$ 5,640.74**	
Tax Possessions	7,596.24	
		13,236.98
Special Tax — Chapter 227 Acts 1941		53.09
Departmental:		
Public Welfare	$ 289.55	
Old Age Assistance	255.31	
		544.86
Overlay Deficits:		
Levy of 1931	$ 10.80	
Levy of 1932	25.65	
Levy of 1933	71.05	
Levy of 1934	48.93	
Levy of 1935	56.49	
Levy of 1936	113.07	
Levy of 1943	130.00	
		455.99
Revenue 1943—Appropriations Voted	$182,213.52	

Unexpended Appro. Balances:		
Revenue	$170,045.47	
Non-Revenue:		
Addition Shawsheen School Building	1,942.47	
		171,987.94
Reserve Fund—Overlay Surplus		2,857.26
Overlays Reserved for Abatement of Taxes:		
Levy of 1941	$ 1,773.49	
Levy of 1942	4,177.44	
		5,950.93
Rev. Reserved Until Collected:		
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax	$ 692.69	
Tax Title and Possessions	13,236.98	
Special Tax	53.08	
Departmental	544.86	
		14,527.61
Reserve for Cash Discrepancy R. W. Barron, Former Collector		169.22
Surplus Revenue		58,097.62

Deduct:				
Poll Taxes—				
1943				
Assessed	$ 130.00			
Estimated				
Receipts				
Collected	1,342.90			
	1,472.90			
		180,740.62		
		$257,394.08		$257,394.08

DEBT ACCOUNTS

Net Funded or Fixed Debt	$ 33,000.00	High School Construction Loan	$ 25,000.00
		Shawsheen School Addition Loan	8,000.00
	$ 33,000.00		$ 33,000.00

TRUST AND INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS

Trust and Investment Funds:		Foster School Fund	$ 1,142.55
Cash and Securities:		George A. Pierce Memorial Day Essay Fund	104.47
In Custody of Town Treasurer	$ 23,298.44	Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	1,684.29
		Municipal Building Insurance Fund	20,367.13
	$ 23,298.44		$ 23,298.44

HIGHWAYS

General

Appropriation	$ 15,000.00	
Less Amount Allotted to Chapter 81	8,000.00	$ 7,000.00
Transferred from Reserved Fund		1,200.00
		$ 8,200.00

Expenditures

Richard O'Neill, Superintendent	$ 734.02
Thomas Manley, Chauffeur	512.79
Frank Goodwin, Chauffeur	627.11
Charles Bowden, Chauffeur	549.74
Homer Darby, Chauffeur	422.98
Francis Brown, Chauffeur	359.20
Roland Robinson, Laborer	583.81
Alton Parker, Laborer	527.13
Joseph Aubut, Laborer	271.58
Edward Penney, Laborer	545.11
William Penney, Laborer	515.53
Nelson Brown, Laborer	573.99
Winthrop Jones, Laborer	185.44
Harry M. Patterson, Laborer	22.46
Richard Haines, Laborer	7.84
Harris Briggs, Laborer	17.92
Leslie Collins, Laborer	6.72
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	215.80
Sidney Moore, Laborer	224.90
Mildred S. Fish, clerical work	116.30
Balfe Service Co., envelopes and billheads	12.50
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	157.76
Thomas P. Sawyer, use of horse and man clearing sidewalks	53.00
Thomas P. Sawyer, paid express	.57
Mary O'Neill, sand and gravel	274.57
Post Office Locksmith, locks and keys	7.25
G. C. Prince & Son, diary	5.50
Richard O'Neill, paid registration and express	2.41
Registry of Motor Vehicles, registering trucks	16.00

Arthur Fairgrieve, stamps	6.00	
General Mills, Inc., grass seed	.68	
Patrick Cogger Co., transporting roller from Cambridge	37.08	
McCarthy's Express, express	.55	
Russell Lumber Co., lumber	50.71	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	8.00	
William Wiggin, curb stones	16.00	
Signal Service Corp., Masonite signs	31.05	
Gallagher Electric Service, repairing damaged wires	27.10	
Trader & Mechanics Insurance Co., insurance on trucks and tractor	40.20	
Wilder Grain Co., cement	7.30	
Arthur Tremblay, screws	.70	
Mello & Sons, lumber and brick	34.16	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., concrete	98.55	
Lowell Glass Co., glass	1.68	
Witkum Welding Co., welding fence	40.00	
Max Levine & Co., pipe	40.00	
Thomas Sullivan, labor and material	8.00	$ 7,997.69
Unexpended		$ 202.31

Chapter 81

Allotment by Town	$ 8,000.00	
Allotment by State	8,000.00	16,000.00
Less amount credited to Highway Machinery Fund		2,836.51
		$ 13,163.49

Expenditures

Richard O'Neill, Superintendent	$ 797.45
Thomas Manley, Chauffeur	599.08
Frank Goodwin, Chauffeur	627.08
Charles Bowden, Chauffeur	408.98
Francis Brown, Chauffeur	266.20
Homer Darby, Chauffeur	617.41
Alton Parker, Laborer	580.15
William Penney, Laborer	575.87
Nelson Brown, Laborer	565.08
Edward Penney, Laborer	525.76

Roland Robinson, Laborer	363.08	
Sidney Moore, Laborer	78.75	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	195.80	
George Gaudette, roller operator	62.60	
Mary O'Neill, gravel	185.86	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., road oil	3,035.46	
Wilder Grain Co., cement	7.18	
Charles L. Haas, gravel and cement	1,730.55	
Edward Gaudette, roller operator	12.50	
The Barrett Division, road tar	1,534.20	
Town of Tyngsboro, use of power grader	219.00	
The General Crushed Stone Co., concrete	175.43	$ 13,163.47
Unexpended		$ .02

Chapter 90—MAINTENANCE

Appropriation	$ 2,000.00	
Allotment by State	2,000.00	
Allotment by County	2,000.00	$ 6,000.00
Less amount credited to Highway Machinery Fund		767.64
		$ 5,232.36

Expenditures

Richard O'Neill, Superintendent	$ 249.99
Thomas Manley, Chauffeur	132.39
Frank Goodwin, Chauffeur	194.05
Charles Bowden, Chauffeur	163.19
Homer Darby, Chauffeur	163.19
Roland Robinson, Laborer	132.39
Alton Parker, Laborer	94.68
Edward Penney, Laborer	167.45
William Penney, Laborer	152.97
Nelson Brown, Laborer	163.85
Sidney Moore, Laborer	167.45
George Gaudette, grader operator	62.80
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	70.20
Charles L. Haas, gravel and stone	712.13
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., road oil and concrete	916.33
The General Crushed Stone Co., stone	1,023.32
The Barrett Division, road oil	362.40
Town of Tyngsboro, use of power grader	207.00
State Prison Colony, flanges and covers	57.47

Mary O'Neill, gravel	31.80	
Wilder Grain Co., cement	7.30	$ 5,232.35
Unexpended		$ .01

HIGHWAY MACHINERY FUND

Brought Forward by vote of Town	$ 760.60	
Appropriation	1,500.00	
Credited from Chapter 81	2,836.51	
Credited from Chapter 90—Maintenance	767.64	
		$ 5,864.75

Expenditures

Curley Grain & Fuel Co., coke	$ 112.82	
Clark-Wilcox Co., supplies	60.53	
Cities Service Oil Co., gasoline and oil	1,702.62	
Goodyear Service, drum and anti-freeze	59.00	
Lowell Co-Operative Bank, storage of trucks	51.00	
Mack Motor Truck Co., parts	77.53	
Hinton's Service Station, gasoline	3.31	
Towers Motor Parts Corp., cross chains and links	25.28	
Witkum Welding Co., repairs, etc.	451.53	
North Tewksbury Garage, labor and parts	830.59	
North Woburn Machine Co., nuts	.75	
Dyar Sales & Machinery Co., parts for plow	168.30	
Arthur Tremblay, supplies	10.41	
Stahleker Steel Corp., steel	3.04	
R. C. Hazelton Co., parts for plow	34.82	
John C. Bennett, tools	31.60	
Conant Machine & Steel Co., loader repairs and parts	25.38	
Donahue Tire Co., tires, tubes, etc.	18.72	
P. Falardeau, links and hooks, tools sharpened	24.80	
Myers Auto Supply Co., inspection and repairs	8.20	
Traffic & Road Equipment Co., street brooms	18.00	
Frank J. Sullivan, recapped tires and other parts	287.89	
Buffalo-Springfield Roller Co., repairing roller	1,659.38	
John G. MacLellan, range and fuel oil	13.00	
Middlesex Supply Co., supplies	4.87	
Charles L. Haas, motor	75.00	
Lowell Glass Co., glass set in truck	7.03	
Quitt Auto Parts Co., exhaust pipe and tire rims	26.00	
Eagle Oil & Supply Co., anti-freeze	68.75	$ 5,860.15
Unexpended		$ 4.60

SCHOOLS

Appropriation	$ 62,746.00	
Transferred from Reserved Fund	500.00	
		$ 63,246.00

Expenditures

Teachers

Herbert Hoyt, principal	$ 1,529.02
Dorothy Ogston, teacher	65.77
Kathryn Chandler, teacher	1,475.17
Evelyn Dutton, teacher	935.69
Elizabeth Hoyt, teacher	652.39
Catherine Maguire, teacher	1,414.49
David Lynch, principal	1,686.52
Doris Groesbeck, teacher	891.06
Marjorie Stanley, teacher	1,223.17
Elizabeth Mulry, teacher	399.02
Fatula Papaconstantineau, teacher	740.36
Ruth Rood, substitute	30.00
Helena Webb, substitute	412.86
Harriet Donahoe, supervisor	200.00
Mary Shea, supervisor	691.66
Alice Sturtevant, supervisor	312.00
Ethelyn Howard, principal	1,527.31
Elizabeth Flynn, teacher	1,276.31
Marion Piper, teacher	1,207.81
Doris Blake, teacher	1,186.06
Ruth Lyons, teacher	1,158.85
Virginia Cunningham, teacher	1,115.05
Winifred Colbath, teacher	1,158.85
Catherine Meloy, teacher	953.61
Mrs. Albert West, substitute	6.00
Eva Hersey, principal	1,207.81
Helle D. Generales, teacher	835.30
Ann Washburn, teacher	1,142.14
Mary Katherina, teacher	968.17
Josephine Hedstrom, teacher	982.71
Margaret Oliver, teacher	581.77
Margaret Matthews, teacher	609.66
Grace Hobart, teacher	860.09
Catherine Desmond, substitute	184.00
Mary E. Garland, substitute	6.00
Barbara Sullivan, substitute	20.00
Ruth Anderson, substitute	44.00

Thelma Greene, substitute	36.00	
Mrs. Howard Mooney, substitute	12.00	
Evelyn Mekelatos, supervisor	100.00	
Vera C. Allen, teacher	548.00	
M. Bernadine L'Esperance, teacher	438.92	
Rita M. Sullivan, teacher	407.60	
Joan Holt, teacher	392.24	
Lillian Swartz, teacher	392.24	
Mary P. Keefe, teacher	392.24	
Charles Hazel, athletic instructor	200.00	
Eileen Flynn, teacher	329.60	
Dorothy Barry, teacher	192.60	
Louise Wood, teacher	229.20	
Margaret Linton, substitute	4.00	
Margaret Delaney, substitute	16.00	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	2,013.70	
		$ 35,395.02

Fuel and Janitor

Walter Lavell, janitor	$ 1,345.32	
John Dupee, janitor	42.46	
Harry Wiley, janitor	574.64	
George Tolstrup, janitor	403.04	
Irving Bailey, janitor	252.40	
George James, janitor	22.50	
Fred Garlick, janitor	22.50	
Arthur Norris, janitor	800.75	
George Garland, janitor	986.08	
Bronslaw Kohanski, janitor	473.80	
Homer Darby, janitor	155.82	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	89.60	
National Coal Sales Co., coal	1,600.73	
Workshop for the Blind, mops	3.00	
Lowell Gas Light Co., gas	113.69	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	1,163.59	
Wilmington Coal & Ice Co., coal	19.58	
William M. Horner, janitors supplies	36.75	
State Prison Colony, brushes	20.83	
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	3.52	
Middlesex Supply Co., dust pan	.45	
John Brady, slab wood	38.00	
Earl A. Lye, trucking	390.00	
Mrs. Bridget Tansey, cleaning	2.00	
The Bon Marche, Inc., mop and sprayer	1.74	

Sanascent Co., sanascent	43.06	
Arthur Tremblay, supplies	3.88	
		$ 8,609.73

Transportation

Omer Blanchard, driving bus	$ 2,182.40	
Fred H. Garlick, driving bus	2,221.80	
Anthony Furtado, Jr., driving bus	2,150.00	
Eastern Mass. Street Ry. Co., transporting pupils	1,610.00	
		$ 8,164.20

Supervision

Stephen G. Bean	$ 882.51	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	9.60	
		$ 892.11

Books and Supplies

J. H. Broadbent & Son, envelopes, letterheads, etc.	$ 7.00
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	2.45
State Education Dept., books	36.00
The Macmillan Co., books	50.72
McGraw-Hill Co., Inc., books	14.93
D. C. Heath & Co., books	106.77
A. G. Pollard Co., supplies	1.46
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc., books and supplies	267.64
The Bon Marche Inc., pattern and book	.70
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies and books	461.38
Boosey, Hawkes & Belwin, music	4.18
Harold Flammer Inc., music	9.62
Central Scientific Co., supplies	36.98
F. J. Flemings Est., paper supplies	122.08
Laidlaw Brothers, books	17.98
United Publishers Service, books	40.61
The John C. Winston Co., books	11.19
Allyn & Bacon, books	123.34
World Almanac, books	1.70
The National Geographic Society, subscription	3.50
Ginn & Co., books and supplies	46.55
Wright & Potter Printing Co., blanks	5.73
American Book Co., books	139.80
Words & Music Publishers, music	5.94
Silver Burdett Co., music books	3.97

Science Research Associates, book	2.50	
Little, Brown & Co., books	3.57	
Scott, Foresman & Co., books	29.20	
D. Appleton-Century Co., books	24.53	
Beaudette & Co., Inc., supplies	9.47	
Longmans, Green & Co., Inc., books	38.42	
Houghton Mifflin Co., books	93.66	
South-Western Publishing Co., supplies	35.98	
Webster Publishing Co., books	21.00	
The Gregg Publishing Co., books	60.15	
Remington Rand, Inc., cards	7.25	
State Prison Colony, floor brush	2.75	
Spaulding-Moss Co., supplies	60.12	
Iroquois Publishing Co., books	4.21	
Benjamin H. Sanborn & Co., books	13.15	
Lyons & Carnahan, books	3.82	
The A. N. Palmer Co., wall cards	.98	
Science Service, subscription	3.50	
		$ 1,936.48

School Houses

Middlesex Supply Co., supplies	$ 212.13	
Louis M. Marion, labor and material	133.60	
Patrick Canavan, labor	2.50	
Wilmington Builders' Supply Co., lumber and glass	34.08	
Bennett Bros., servicing pump and material	28.70	
Osterman Coal Co., labor and parts repairing stoker	100.30	
C. H. Hobson & Son, plumbing supplies and labor	$ 82.70	
Derby Electric Motors Co., servicing and parts	156.80	
T. F. Sullivan, labor	18.00	
The Thompson Hardware Co., supplies	320.75	
The Robertson Co., Inc., shades installed, etc.	63.50	
Russell Lumber Co., lumber	4.16	
Lull & Hartford, keys	1.25	
J. L. Hammett Co., chairs	26.75	
W. J. Bolton, labor	8.00	
F. L. Kane, labor and planking	110.00	
Wadsworth, Howland & Co., paint supplies	39.27	
Fred Lunn & Son, labor, paint, etc.	944.78	
David Hinkley, labor	30.00	
North Tewksbury Garage, brazing seats	2.00	
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	16.08	

Edward M. Stanton, labor	13.30	
Pratt & Forrest Co., lumber	32.20	
The Fairgrieve Belting Co., belts	2.96	
Cawley Coal Co., cement and pipe	28.40	
Lee's Greenhouses, installing sump pump	12.00	
		$ 2,424.21

Massachusetts School Fund

Massachusetts Board of Retirement		$ 1,612.25

Miscellaneous

Purity Spring Water Co., spring water	$ 45.90	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	151.07	
Anderson Brothers, milk for H. E. Dept.	6.69	
Winchester Laundry, laundry for H. E. Dept.	1.15	
International Business Machines Corp., maintaining clock system	26.45	
A. Towle Co., express	.55	
Luther R. Baker, moving piano	7.21	
Stephen G. Bean, travel expenses	120.68	
Stephen G. Bean, telephone and postage	10.59	
Stephen G. Bean, for clerk	50.00	
Herbert Hoyt, paid for books, postage, etc.	10.18	
Fatula Papaconstantineau, cells	2.70	
Reformatory for Women, flags	16.27	
Boston & Maine R. R., drain pipe privileges	5.00	
Fred C. Church & Co., insurance	596.68	
Leslie Collins, sharpening lawn mowers and cutting grass	27.50	
Charles Hazel, services as coach and physical instructor	250.00	
Harry Wiley, truant officer	25.00	
May L. Larrabee, paid for supplies	6.67	
May L. Larrabee use of telephone and toll calls	45.45	
Wally's Food Store, supplies	16.61	
J. L. Hammett Co., engrossing diplomas	20.49	
A. G. Pollard Co., supplies	30.73	
Denoyer-Geppert, express	1.12	
The Bon Marche Inc., supplies	1.40	
Fellowcrafters Inc., supplies	2.29	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing	27.75	
Earl A. Lye, trucking	107.25	
F. W. Woolworth Co., ribbon	.90	
Merrimac Mutual Fire Insurance Co., insurance	67.47	

Scripture's Laundry, laundry	1.40	
Mrs. Grace Dawson, pianist for graduation	5.00	
Mrs. F. H. Garlick, draperies laundered and dyed	3.20	
A. J. Fairgrieve, Agent, insurance	153.50	
The Robertson Co. Inc., drinking cups	30.00	
Bernadine L'Esperance, paid for groceries	.53	
E. S. Williams, 2 covers delivered and set	15.00	
Harding Typewriter Co., ribbons and repairs	91.50	
Bennett Bros., servicing water system	6.25	
First National Stores Inc., supplies	1.42	
Dr. Anthony Richards, physical examinations High School pupils	65.00	
Kathryn Chandler, making out payrolls	25.00	
J. Harper Gale, making out certificates	68.00	
J. Harper Gale, telephone calls	2.60	
Ralph Battles, making out certificates	3.00	
Fred Howard, supplies	8.40	
Commissioner of Public Safety, inspection of boilers	15.00	
D. O. Lynch, stamps, express, etc.	4.53	
Harold J. Patten, stones	7.50	
Arrow System, cleaning football equipment	248.10	
Thomas Manley, labor at High School	30.20	
Roland Robinson, labor at High School	30.20	
Alton Parker, labor at High School	28.58	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	7.30	
Edith E. Haines, taking school census	30.40	
		$ 2,563.36

SCHOOL NURSE

Miss Edith E. Haines, services	$ 1,317.26	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	91.00	
		$ 1,408.26

Medical Inspection

Dr. H. M. Larrabee, school physician		$ 200.00
Total School expenditures		$ 63,205.62
Appropriation	$ 63,246.00	
Expenditures	63,205.62	
Unexpended		$ 40.38

VOCATIONAL SCHOOL

Appropriation	$ 1,500.00

Expenditures

City of Lowell, tuition		872.25
Unexpended		$ 627.75

PUBLIC WELFARE

Appropriation		$ 8,000.00

Expenditures

Expended for Welfare		5,969.31
Unexpended		$ 2,030.69

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

Appropriation		$ 4,500.00
Received from Federal Grant	$ 2,148.50	
Brought forward from 1942	400.25	
Received from Federal Grants, Administration	66.03	$ 2,614.78
		$ 7,114.78

Expenditures

Expended under Town Appropriation	$ 4,486.62	
Expended under U. S. Grant	2,426.00	
Expended under Administration	63.27	$ 6,975.89
Unexpended under Town Appropriation	13.38	
Unexpended under U. S. Grant and carried forward to 1944	122.75	
Unexpended under U. S. Grant Administration and carried forward to 1944	2.39	$ 138.52

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Appropriation		$ 16,000.00
Received from U. S. Grant	$ 13,781.96	
Brought forward from U. S. Grant 1942	2.39	
Received from U. S. Grant Administration	459.32	
Brought forward from U. S. Grant Administration 1942	46.02	$ 14,289.69
		$ 30,289.69

Expenditures

Expended under Town Appropriation	$ 15,985.03	
Expended under U. S, Grant	13,182.52	
Expended under U. S. Grant Administration	472.36	
		$ 29,639.91
Unexpended under Town Appropriation	14.97	
Unexpended under U. S. Grant and carried forward to 1944	601.83	
Unexpended under U. S. Grant Administration and carried forward to 1944	32.98	
		649.78

AID, STATE AND MILITARY

Appropriation	$ 2,500.00
Expenditures	451.74
Unexpended	$ 2,048.26

STATIONERY AND PRINTING

Appropriation	$ 1,200.00

Expenditures

M. A. Lucia, stamps	$ 6.50	
Balfe Service Co., printing	21.75	
Balfe Service Co., printing annual reports	642.40	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., supplies	52.69	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing	39.75	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	74.98	
Lowell Sun Co., advertising	28.03	
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps and envelopes	133.73	
Spaulding-Moss Co., poll lists	54.60	
Robinson Seal Co., Inc., forms	3.62	$ 1,058.05
Unexpended		$ 141.95

SALARIES

Appropriation, Town Auditor		$ 1,000.00
Robert E. Gay, services	$ 898.70	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	101.30	
		$ 1,000.00

Appropriation, Town Treasurer		$ 2,000.00
George A. Marshall, services	$ 1,940.90	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	59.10	
		$ 2,000.00
Appropriation, Town Clerk		$ 750.00
Alice A. Pike, services	$ 742.20	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	7.80	
		$ 750.00
Appropriation, Selectmen		$ 1,100.00
Irving F. French, services	$ 400.00	
Duncan J. Cameron, services	30.00	
Edward J. Sullivan, services	320.00	
Bernard H. Greene, services	328.00	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	22.00	
		$ 1,100.00
Appropriation, Tax Collector		$ 1,850.00
Harry C. Dawson, services	$ 1,765.40	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	84.60	
		$ 1,850.00
Appropriation, School Committee		$ 225.00
May L. Larrabee, services	$ 75.00	
J. Harper Gale, services	75.00	
Ralph Battles, services	75.00	
		$ 225.00
Appropriation, Road Commissioners		$ 400.00
Thomas P. Sawyer, services	$ 200.00	
Chester M. Roper, services	100.00	
Louis O. Berube, services	100.00	
		$ 400.00
Appropriation, Election Officers		$ 36.00
William Smith, services	$ 6.00	
Annie McPhillips, services	6.00	
Arthur Wells, services	6.00	
Thomas Sullivan, services	6.00	
William McGowan, services	6.00	
Jesse French, services	6.00	
		$ 36.00

INCIDENTALS

Appropriation ..... $ 1,200.00

Expenditures

New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	$ 397.94
Irving F. French, expenses to Boston	3.00
George A. Marshall, expenses to Boston	22.30
George A. Marshall, paid express	.52
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., cabinets, file, etc.	110.35
Bradshaw Business School Inc., mimeographing letters	3.00
Fred C. Church & Co., treasurer's bond	119.50
Fred C. Church & Co., town clerk's bond	7.50
Fred C. Church & Co., insurance on house	60.00
Director of Accounts, certifying notes	8.00
Appleton National Bank, rent of safe deposit box	6.00
The Mass. Town Clerk's Asso., annual dues	4.00
National Shawmut Bank of Boston, postage	.21
Middlesex Co. Selectmen's Asso., membership dues	9.00
Lowell Co-Operative Bank, transfer of insurance on Pleasant St. property	59.41
A. J. Fairgrieve, rent of P. O. box and envelopes	17.38
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	15.66
Rogers & Sherburne, legal services	38.00
Burroughs Adding Machine Co., service charge	6.60
Winthrop S. Jones, care of soldiers' lot	17.00
Winthrop S. Jones, flags and marker	25.61
Robert E. Gay, expenses to Boston	3.00
The Robertson Co., stenographer's chairs and clock	62.50
Lull & Hartford, repairing vault	5.00
Harry L. Mann, supplies for Ration Board	2.30
Alice A. Pike, acknowledging deeds	8.00
Tewksbury Cemetery Corp., care of town Tomb and Lot	10.00
Middlesex Supply Co., pipe	.72
Irving F. French, expenses, auto travel, etc. for 1943	50.00
Robert E. Gay, acknowledging deeds	5.00
Harry C. Dawson, fees as Justice of Peace	.50
Lowell Sun Co., advertising	27.00
Leslie Collins, care of South Cemetery	35.00

Leslie Collins, labor in Old Cemetery	5.00	
John C. Bennett, supplies	6.36	
New England Calendar Co. Inc., Perma name plates and strips	22.94	$ 1,174.30
Unexpended		$ 25.70

BOARD OF HEALTH

Appropriation		$ 3,500.00

Expenditures

Middlesex Co. Sanatorium, care of town cases	$ 1,209.25	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	.50	
McGregor Instrument Co., needle wires	1.31	
F. & E. Bailey & Co., vaccine points	19.93	
Edith E. Haines, R. N., services	200.00	
James W. McKenna & Son, ambulance service	20.00	
Leslie Collins, disposing of dogs	15.00	
The Thompson Hardware Co., paint and brushes	1.30	
Russell Lumber Co., lumber	2.28	
Dr. H. M. Larrabee, professional services	146.00	
Bernard H. Greene, travel expenses	50.00	$ 1,665.57
Unexpended		$ 1,834.43

MEMORIAL DAY

Appropriation		$ 350.00

Expenditures

Winthrop S. Jones, stick flags	$ 15.00	
Joseph Peverill, pianist	5.00	
Frank L. Orvell, Mgr., Mendelssohn Quartet	30.00	
Rev. Victor Scalise, orator	15.00	
Gilbert W. Hunt, services of firing squad	8.00	
Romeo Couture, vibraphone music	5.00	
Patten & Co., wreaths	15.00	
Thomas F. Hannafin, services of Band	87.00	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, programs	12.00	
F. I. Carter & Sons, 3 baskets and bouquet	12.00	$ 204.00
Unexpended		$ 146.00

STREET LIGHTING

Appropriation	$ 6,250.00	
Transferred from Reserved Fund	25.00	
		$ 6,275.00
Expenditures		
Lowell Electric Light Corp., street lights		6,274.04
Unexpended		$ .96

LIBRARY

Appropriation	$ 1,300.00	
Dog Licenses	671.47	
		$ 1,971.47
Expenditures		
The National Geographic Society, subscriptions	$ 14.00	
DeWolfe & Fiske Co., books	1,011.88	
Ruth W. Smith, expenses to Boston	24.00	
Jean Karr & Co., books	83.24	
Nathaniel Dame, books	119.30	
Abbie M. Blaisdell, librarian	200.00	
Abbie M. Blaisdell, paid for box rent and supplies	4.28	
Abbie M. Blaisdell, services as district librarian	10.00	
Robert H. Sloan, asst. librarian	118.75	
Blanche King, asst. librarian	125.00	
Hearst Magazines, Inc., subscriptions	11.00	
Child Life, Inc., subscriptions	8.00	
Boys' Life Magazine, subscription	4.50	
Children's Playmate Magazine, subscription	3.50	
American Cookery, subscription	3.00	
The Crowell-Collier Publishing Co., subscriptions	7.00	
Meredith Publishing Co., subscription	3.00	
Parents' Magazine, subscription	3.00	
Atlantic Monthly, subscription	10.00	
Mademoiselle, subscription	3.00	
American Medical Association, subscription	6.00	
Harper's Magazine, subscription	10.00	
Reader's Digest, subscription	10.00	
Curtis Publishing Co., subscription	3.00	
Hobbies, subscription	7.50	
The American Home, subscription	6.00	
The Redbook Magazine, subscription	4.00	
Fawcett Distributing Corp., book	1.50	
McCall's Magazine, subscription	3.00	

Life Magazine, subscription	9.00	
Popular Mechanics Magazine, subscription	5.00	
The Junior Literary Guild, books	18.50	
Dorothy Fitzgerald, district librarian	10.00	
Mrs. Bischoff, district librarian	10.00	
Edgar Smith, transportation of books to outlying districts	87.50	
House Beautiful, subscriptions	12.00	$ 1,969.45
Unexpended		$ 2.02

TOWN HALL

Appropriation		$ 3,000.00

Expenditures

George James, janitor	$ 1,427.79	
George James, paid for supplies	5.95	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	74.90	
Middlesex Supply Co., brushes	1.94	
General Mills, Inc., salt	1.20	
A. G. Pollard Co., supplies	21.30	
Lowell Gas Light Co., gas	86.67	
The Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	469.60	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	126.02	
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	34.20	
First National Stores, Inc., supplies	.90	
T. F. Sullivan, plumbing and material	26.00	
C. B. Dolge Co., supplies	42.90	
National Slate & Tile Co., roof repairs and material	127.88	
The Thompson Hardware Co., wax	1.50	
Leslie Collins, lawn mowers sharpened	3.00	
Osterman Coal Co., coal	437.67	
Arthur Tremblay, supplies	23.99	
M. G. Wight & Co., lamps	7.06	
A. F. French & Co., roll of paper	14.26	$ 2,934.73
Unexpended		$ 65.27

GENERAL

The National Shawmut Bank, paid notes nos. 245, 246, and 247	$ 60,000.00
Middlesex Co. Treasurer, T. B. assessment	1,284.60

Dog licenses	819.20	
County tax	5,554.32	
District Court, Lowell, return of receipt received in error for Aug. 1942	18.57	
Commonwealth of Mass., State tax	3,700.00	
Parks and Reservations	153.26	
		$ 71,529.95

MOTH DEPARTMENT

Appropriation		$ 1,500.00

Expenditures

Harris M. Briggs, services	732.35	
John L. Dupee, labor	213.00	
Alton Parker, labor	26.70	
Homer Darby, labor	3.40	
Nelson Brown, labor	3.40	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	29.45	
Eagle Oil & Supply Co., motor oil	20.54	
Edward Sheehan, gasoline	40.90	
General Mills, Inc., arsenate of lead	283.65	
John C. Bennett, sprayer	8.25	
Middlesex Supply Co., supplies	1.70	
Middlesex Co. Farm Bureau Asso., Fluxite	15.75	
Arthur Tremblay, supplies	3.10	$ 1,382.19
Unexpended		$ 117.81

TREE WARDEN

Appropriation		$ 1,500.00

Expenditures

Harris M. Briggs, services	$ 713.05	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	20.80	
North Tewksbury Garage, labor and supplies	32.57	
John C. Bennett, tools	4.60	
Roland Fearon, lettering truck	3.00	
E. J. Sheehan, gasoline and oil	44.70	
Towers Motor Parts Corp., parts	15.30	
William A. Scarlett, labor and parts	10.90	
Myers Auto Supply Co., inspections and supplies	8.05	
Harris M. Briggs, paid for express, filing saw and registering trucks	6.01	

Frost Insecticide Co., creosote	15.33	
Signal Service Corp., reflector buttons and clips	13.34	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	9.00	
Anderson Bros., use of horse	72.00	
Hinton's Service Station, parts	2.50	
Witkum Welding Co., welding	3.00	
Frank Goddard, parts for mower	11.30	
Golen's Garage, labor	1.00	
Louis M. Marion, filing saws	3.00	
Francis Sherlock, gasoline	9.35	
Edward Penney, labor	2.00	
Russell Lumber Co., poles	2.85	$ 1,003.65
Unexpended		$ 496.35

INTEREST

Appropriation	$ 600.00
National Shawmut Bank of Boston, discount on notes Nos. 246, 247, 248, 249	230.69
Unexpended	$ 369.31

POLICE

Appropriation	$ 10,127.40	
Transferred from Reserved Fund	300.00	
		$ 10,427.40

Expenditures

Cyril L. Barker, Chief	$ 2,050.32
Jeremiah Houlihan, services	1,625.60
George Gale, services	1,679.90
Lauchie McPhail, services	908.87
George Hazel, services	686.57
Ross Sargent, services	288.20
Daniel Sheehan, services	79.05
Walter Lavell, services	360.55
Dorothy E. Ackles, clerical services	182.40
Daniel Sterling, services	909.80
C. Abbott Battles, services	12.00
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	506.40
Billerica Motor Sales Co., door and handles	3.20
Towers Motor Parts Corp., regulator	5.25

A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps and cards	10.00	
Lowell Motor Sales Co., Inc., fan belts	2.44	
Myers Auto Supply Co., batteries, seat covers, etc.	49.18	
G. C. Prince & Son, supplies	3.00	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	160.70	
City of Lowell, radio service	55.00	
City of Lowell, use of Jail	21.50	
Roger Buck Garage, anti-freeze	15.90	
Cities Service Oil Co., gasoline and oil	338.14	
Golen's Garage, labor, parts and storage	123.90	
Grabar Electric Co., Inc., condensers	.81	
Hurd Street Garage, labor and parts	5.15	
James H. Burns, transporting prisoners	4.00	
Isidore J. Trudel, transporting prisoners	2.43	
Harry A. Morrison, repairs to radio receiver	7.50	
Deluxe Filter and Piston Co., cartridges	5.21	
Edward Sheehan, tires and tubes	58.41	
Post Office Locksmith, keys	2.00	$ 10,163.38
Unexpended		$ 264.02

PARKS AND COMMONS

Appropriation		$ 250.00
Expenditures		
Reformatory for Women, 2 cotton flags	$ 12.45	
Edward Corey, replacing rope in flag pole	10.00	
Middlesex Supply Co., rope	2.82	
Leslie Collins, lawn mowers sharpened	3.00	
H. M. Briggs, care of common and flags	150.00	
John C. Bennett, jute rope	5.13	$ 183.40
Unexpended		$ 66.60

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation		$ 10,329.50
Expenditures		
A. S. Haines, Chief	$ 1,917.76	
Harry Treadwell, station duty and fires	261.14	
Everett Haines, station duty and fires	468.43	
Harry Patterson, station duty and fires	164.50	

Andrew Kohanski, station duty and fires	811.58
Thomas Sullivan, station duty and fires	584.10
Charles Bowden, station duty and fires	166.51
George James, labor at fires	110.65
Harold Mills, labor at fires	253.68
William Millett, labor at fires	379.07
Harry Gleason, labor at fires	46.89
Edgar Hinton, labor at fires	28.76
Bronslaw Kohanski, labor at fires	95.85
Victor Lundquist, labor at fires	19.51
Earl Sands, labor at fires	12.75
John Carter, labor at fires	21.14
John Collins, labor at fires	7.13
Omer Blanchard, labor at fires	15.39
Fred Carter, labor at fires	25.14
Wallace Farwell, labor at fires	46.51
Frank Corr, labor at fires	9.01
William Bailey, labor at fires	60.40
Alexander Suprenant, labor at fires	4.50
Chester Burgess, labor at fires	3.51
Walter Roberts, labor at fires	6.00
Fred King, labor at fires	45.91
Anthony Cidado, labor at fires	10.14
Hugh Cameron, labor at fires	4.88
Gordon Dodge, labor at fires	48.77
Bernard Greene, labor at fires	10.88
William Carter, labor at fires	1.88
Benjamin Stelmack, labor at fires	8.63
Howard King, labor at fires	29.64
Albert Bancroft, labor at fires	13.88
Leslie Collins, labor at fires	19.14
Walter Kohanski, labor at fires	30.75
Albert Labonti, labor at fires	11.26
Herbert Harrington, labor at fires	1.88
Malcolm Buchanan, labor at fires	8.75
Richard O'Neill, labor at fires	7.68
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	210.50
Fred Record, labor at fires	3.00
Francis Brown, labor at fires	3.93
Fred Meloy, labor at fires	3.38
Nelson Brown, labor at fires	3.18
Daniel Sheehan, labor at fires	1.88
George Collins, labor at fires	3.00
Jesse Labonti, labor at fires	1.50
Edward Sullivan, labor at fires	1.50

Edward Penney, labor at fires	2.43
Frank Goodwin, labor at fires	2.63
Everett King, labor at fires	1.88
John Smith, labor at fires	3.00
Howard Whitten, labor at fires	3.75
Richard Haines, labor at fires	4.13
Robert Flucker, labor at fires	3.75
Robert Haines, labor at fires	24.39
Daniel Sheehan, Jr., labor at fires	10.13
Alton Parker, repairing fences and posts	20.20
William Penney, repairing fences and posts	21.80
Charles Bowden, repairing fences and posts	23.50
George Gray, labor at fires	2.25
Floyd Darby, labor at fires	2.25
Francis Marsh, labor at fires	2.25
Charles Knox & Son, accident insurance	187.50
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	240.87
American Fire Equipment Co., equipment	1,842.82
Lowell Gas Light Co., gas	15.82
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps and envelopes	3.14
Hinton's Service Station, garage rent	90.00
Hinton's Service Station, garage rent	21.57
E. A. Wilson Co., oil	101.83
C. B. Dolge Co., supplies	13.50
Edward J. Sheehan, gasoline	93.19
The Thompson Hardware Co., supplies	4.59
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	132.52
North Tewksbury Garage, storage and parts	191.27
G. C. Prince & Son., Inc., supplies	8.45
National Slate & Tile Co., roof repairs and materials	34.55
Thomas Sullivan, use of car	8.30
Fred King, use of car	16.10
Reo Motors Inc., motor parts	22.35
Everett Haines, use of car	8.85
Harry Patterson, use of car	3.60
Witkum Welding Co., cutting and welding	4.50
Middlesex Supply Co., supplies	3.05
John G. MacLellan, fuel oil	94.30
Goodyear Service, 2 tires	66.26
Bronslaw Kohanski, use of car	6.32
Wally's Food Store, groceries	8.62
F. I. Carter & Sons, fire extinguisher charges	2.50
Robinson's Moving & Express Service, express	.52
Arthur Tremblay, gasoline and supplies	47.29

Town of Wilmington, rental of hydrants	120.00	
Frank Sherlock, gasoline	21.00	
Russell Lumber Co., paint	1.10	
Lowell Iron & Steel Co., steel	.73	
Elzear Masse, lettering truck	15.00	
Scannell Boiler Works, iron plates	7.95	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., bulbs	3.00	
Donovan's blankets	38.00	$ 9,615.15
Unexpended		$ 714.35

ASSESSORS

Appropriation	$ 3,000.00

Expenditures

Ethel M. Phillips, clerk	$ 893.73	
Buzzell King, services	580.67	
Austin F. French, services	505.97	
Harry P. Nash, services	408.70	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	37.53	
Austin F. French, use of auto	63.00	
Austin F. French, expenses to Assessors' meetings	14.50	
The Stoneham Independent, auto excise tax table	1.00	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	37.90	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	11.05	
Thomas E. Watson, redrawing plans	19.80	
Harry P. Nash, use of auto	81.00	
Harry P. Nash, expenses to Assessors' meetings	12.50	
Buzzell King, expenses to Assessors' meetings	8.00	
Royal Typewriter Co., overhauling typewriter	27.85	
Harry P. Nash, paid express	.36	
Dumas & Co., binding	2.50	
Association of Mass. Assessors, annual dues	3.00	
Ethel M. Phillips, expenses to Registry of Deeds	20.00	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., forms, books, etc.	29.90	
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps and envelopes	28.08	$ 2,787.04
Unexpended		$ 212.96

INSPECTION OF MEAT AND ANIMALS

Appropriation		$ 700.00
Expenditures		
Charles W. Fenerty, inspection of slaughter house, animals and barns	$ 191.40	
Horace P. Sweet, inspection of meat and animals	507.40	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	1.20	
		$ 700.00

COLLECTION OF TAXES

Appropriation		$ 1,000.00
Expenditures		
Underwood Elliott Fisher Co., maintenance service	$ 18.00	
Walter H. Wilcox, Inc., premium on Tax Collector's bond	5.00	
A. W. LaFond, tax and excise bills	183.10	
Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Co., Tax Collector's bond	226.00	
A. J. Fairgrieve, box rent and envelopes	352.92	
Harry C. Dawson, paid express, travel expenses and for recording deeds	93.61	
Royal Typewriter Co. Inc., repairs	8.50	
The Telegram Pub. Co., advertising	87.50	
Mass. Tax Collectors' & Treasurers' Asso., annual dues	2.00	
Donaldson's ribbons and pencils	2.00	
Robert E. Gay, acknowledging deeds and disclaimers	21.25	$ 999.88
Unexpended		$ .12

MAINTENANCE OF LEGION HALL

Appropriation		$ 125.00
Expenditures		
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	$ 56.92	
The Robertson Co., chairs, etc.	41.98	
Andrew Kohanski, cleaning Legion Hall	25.00	$ 123.90
Unexpended		$ 1.10

DOG OFFICER

Appropriation for Dog Officer	$ 200.00	
Appropriation for keeping dogs	100.00	
		$ 300.00

Expenditures

Lowell Humane Society, destroying dog	$ 2.00	
Gerald J. Finneran, services as Dog Officer, telephone, etc.	198.00	$ 200.00
Unexpended for keeping dogs		$ 100.00

HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING LOAN

Appropriation		$ 4,687.50

Expenditures

Merchants National Bank of Boston, interest	$ 343.75	
Merchants National Bank, paid notes No. 153, 154, 155, 156 and interest	$ 4,343.75	
		$ 4,687.50

BOARD OF REGISTRARS

Appropriation		$ 600.00

Expenditures

J. H. Broadbent & Son, cards	$ 3.00	
Herbert Fairbrother, services	75.00	
George J. McCoy, services	115.00	
William Bennett, services	90.00	
Alice A. Pike, services	275.75	$ 558.75
Unexpended		$ 41.25

W. P. A.

Appropriation	$ 1,050.00	
Brought forward from 1942	1,717.60	
		$ 2,767.60

Expenditures

Herman Bischoff, bread for school lunches	$ 144.17	
F. H. Garlick, trucking	33.00	
Everett H. King, services and trips to commissary	9.00	
Lowell Fruit Co., vegetables for school lunches	92.55	
A. G. Pollard Co., supplies	15.31	
Cherry & Webb Co., uniforms	30.42	
First National Stores, Inc., supplies	2.97	

Gertrude Rutledge, transportation expenses	13.00	
Carbide & Carbon Chemicals Corp., gas for school lunches	35.00	
Freddie's General Store, supplies	251.18	
Surplus Commodity Warehouse, rent charge	8.90	
Anderson Bros., milk for school lunches	266.78	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	3.00	
Russell Lumber Co., lumber, nails, etc.	131.03	
Fred Howard, First Aid supplies for schools	8.56	
Ideal Racket Store, dishes, boiler, etc.	73.55	
Middlesex Supply Co., supplies	39.60	
J Dawson Purdy, transporting clothing from commissary to warehouse	1.50	
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps	1.50	
Allen's Farm, milk for lunch project	143.28	
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	3.20	
Webster-Thomas Co., table silver and supplies	39.25	
Louis M. Marion, labor and material	80.00	
Dorothy E. Ackles, clerk	24.30	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	.70	$ 1,451.75
Unexpended and carried forward to 1944		$ 1,315.85

CLERICAL SERVICES

Appropriation		$ 300.00
Expenditures		
Ethel M. Phillips, services	$ 264.15	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	5.85	$ 270.00
Unexpended		$ 30.00

ADDITION TO SHAWSHEEN SCHOOL

Brought forward from 1942		$ 2,114.03
Expenditures		
Osterman Coal Co., repairs to stoker	$ 156.56	
Loella F. Dewing, paid for advertising for contracts	15.00	
E. A. Wilson Co., repairs to heating unit	10.50	
Daniel H. Hinkley, labor on ventilator	20.00	
T. F. Sullivan, material and labor rebuilding furnace	69.50	
George R. Barris, engineering services	150.00	$ 421.56
Unexpended balance carried forward to 1944		$ 1,692.47

MAINTENANCE OF ATHLETIC FIELD AND STRUCTURES THEREON

Appropriation		$ 350.00
Expenditures		
Lull & Hartford, equipment	$ 173.56	
John G. MacLellan, fuel and range oil	50.51	
C. H. Hobson & Son, labor and material	21.10	
Lowell Glass Co., Inc., glass	1.20	
Alfred Marion, setting glass	2.00	
Charles Hazel, mowing field with horse and machine	10.00	
A. C. Norris, labor and paint on windows	6.25	
Middlesex Supply Co., lime	7.80	
C. B. Coburn Co., glass and supplies	3.95	
Arrow System, helmets and shoulder pads	67.00	
Horace Partridge, adhesive tape	1.25	$ 344.62
Unexpended		$ 5.38

TAX TITLE FORECLOSURES

Appropriation		$ 500.00
Expenditures		
Rogers & Sherburne, legal services and expenses	$ 60.57	
Ethel M. Phillips, clerical services	83.30	
Middlesex No. District, recording deeds	115.25	
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps	6.42	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	2.20	
Lowell Sun Co., advertising	36.75	
Alice A. Pike, acknowledging deeds	4.75	$ 309.24
Unexpended		$ 190.76

MOTOR EXCISE REFUND

Jesse J. French	$ 3.64
William Foreman	4.18
Francis J. Sullivan	5.09
T. James Collins	1.27
Merton E. Curtis	.91
Fred H. Garlick	1.63
New England Power Co.,	2.54
A. Adelbert Anderson	1.57
Anna T. Griffin	.91

Marjorie W. Collins	1.63	
Mary H. Williams	.18	
Joseph D. Alvêno	4.54	
Josephine P. Morash	8.48	
		$ 36.57

REAL ESTATE FUND

Ella F. Keough and John J. Keough, refund	$ 6.44

CIVILIAN DEFENSE

Appropriation		$ 600.00
Expenditures		
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	$ 341.03	
Fred C. Church & Co., bond on U. S. A. Director of Civilian Defense	5.00	
Chippewa Mills, Inc., arm bands	2.31	
Myers Auto Supply Co., flash light batteries	12.00	$ 360.34
Unexpended		$ 239.66

MUNICIPAL INSURANCE

Appropriation	$ 1,500.00
Expenditures	
Union National Bank of Lowell, United States Savings Bonds	$ 1,500.00

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Appropriation		$ 225.00
Expenditures		
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., changing steel dies to 1943	$ 8.75	
Victor N. Cluff, services as Sealer of Weights and Measures	200.00	$ 208.75
Unexpended		$ 16.25

PURCHASE OF LAND ON SOUTH SIDE OF TOWN HALL

Appropriation	$ 3,000.00
Expenditures	
Lowell Co-Operative Bank, purchase of house, garage and land on Pleasant St.	$ 3,000.00

TO ERECT AND MAINTAIN MEMORIAL AND HONOR ROLL OF TEWKSBURY RESIDENTS WHO HAVE ENTERED PRESENT WORLD WAR

Appropriation		$ 150.00
Expenditures		
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., ring binders and book index	$ 5.90	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, data sheets	4.50	
Winthrop S. Jones, service flag and numerals	35.00	
A. J. Fairgrieve, postcards	.50	
N. E. Calendar Co., honor roll	10.17	
Hannafin's Band, services at dedication exercises	86.75	$ 142.82
Unexpended		$ 7.18

SHAWSHEEN BUILDING LOAN

Appropriation		$ 2,060.00
Expenditures		
East Weymouth Savings Bank, paid interest and note No. 237		$ 2,060.00

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

Receipts		
Central Savings Bank, interest from		
Samuel Jaques Fund	$ 3.00	
Jeremiah Kittredge Fund	3.00	
Louisa Bridge Fund	3.00	
Ebenezer Page Fund	5.00	
City Institution for Savings, interest from		
Martha Shedd Fund	6.00	
		$ 20.00
Tewksbury Cemetery Corporation		
Care of Thomas Bridge Lot	3.00	
Care of Samuel Jaques Lot	3.00	
Care of Jeremiah Kittredge Lot	3.00	
Leslie Collins, care of Ebenezer Page Lot	5.00	
Care of Martha Shedd Lot	6.00	
		$ 20.00

UNPAID BILLS 1942

Appropriation	Vocational School	$ 43.09	
	Dog Officer	98.50	
	Police	42.63	
	Fire Dept.	62.80	
			$ 247.02
Cities Service Oil Co., oil		$ 42.63	
Harry Treadwell, services		10.75	
Harry Patterson, services		9.25	
Everett Haines, services		7.75	
Charles Bowden, services		4.25	
William Millett, services		3.50	
Harry Gleason, services		1.75	
Bronslaw Kohanski, services		1.75	
Andrew Kohanski, services		1.00	
Howard King, services		1.00	
George James, services		.75	
Edgar Hinton, services		.75	
Omer Blanchard, services		.75	
Earl Sands, services		.75	
Alexander Suprenant, services		.75	
William Bailey, services		.75	
Walter Roberts, services		.75	
Leslie Collins, services		.75	
Frank Corr, services		.75	
John Smith, services		.75	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone 2298		14.30	
City of Boston, tuition for Lloyd Fosse at Boston Trade School		43.09	
G. J. Finneran, keeping dogs		98.50	
			$ 247.02

SUMMARY

Highways—General	$ 7,997.69
Highways—Chapter 81	13,163.47
Highways—Chapter 90, Maintenance	5,232.35
Highway Machinery Fund	5,860.15
Schools	63,205.62
Vocational School	872.25
Public Welfare	5,969.31
Aid to Dependent Children	6,975.89
Old Age Assistance	29,639.91
Aid, State and Military	451.74
Stationery and Printing	1,058.05

Salaries:

Town Auditor	1,000.00
Town Treasurer	2,000.00
Town Clerk	750.00
Selectmen	1,100.00
Tax Collector	1,850.00
School Committee	225.00
Road Commissioners	400.00
Election Officers	36.00
Incidentals	1,174.30
Board of Health	1,665.57
Memorial Day	204.00
Street Lighting	6,274.04
Library	1,969.45
Town Hall	2,934.73
General	71,529.95
Moth Department	1,382.19
Tree Warden	1,003.65
Interest	230.69
Police	10,163.38
Parks and Commons	183.40
Fire Department	9,615.15
Assessors	2,787.04
Inspection of Meat and Animals	700.00
Collection of Taxes	999.88
Maintenance of Legion Hall	123.90
Dog Officer	200.00
High School Building Loan	4,687.50
Board of Registrars	558.75
W. P. A.	1,451.75
Clerical Services	270.00
Addition to Shawsheen School	421.56
Maintenance of Athletic Field and Structures Thereon	344.62
Tax Title Foreclosures	309.24
Motor Excise Refund	36.57
Real Estate Refund	6.44
Civilian Defense	360.34
Municipal Insurance	1,500.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	208.75
Purchase of Land on South Side of Town Hall	3,000.00
To Erect and Maintain Memorial and Honor Roll of Tewksbury Residents Who Have Entered Present World War	142.82

Shawsheen Building Loan		2,060.00
Cemetery Trust Funds		20.00
Unpaid Bills 1942		247.02
Total Expenditures		$276,554.11
Cash on hand	$ 51.97	
Cash in bank	87,509.56	87,561.53
Total receipts		$364.115.64
Treasurer's receipts		$364,115.64

NOTE: No expenditures have been made from the following appropriations:

4-H Club	$ 50.00
Installation of light on Main Street	18.00
New Fire Truck, brought forward from 1942	5,500.00

RESERVE FUND

Appropriation		$ 5,000.00
Transferred by vote of Finance Committee to		
Police Department	$ 300.00	
Street Lighting	25.00	
School Department	500.00	
Highway Department	1,200.00	2,025.00
Balance reverting to Town Treasury		$ 2,975.00

TRUST FUNDS

Condition of Trust Funds, December 31, 1943

Municipal Building Insurance Fund	$ 22,113.73
Foster School Fund	1,159.75
Dr. George A. Peirce Fund	106.04
Jeremiah Kittredge Cemetery Fund	119.97
Louisa Bridges Cemetery Fund	170.02
Samuel Jaques Cemetery Fund	119.95
William Pringle Cemetery Fund	101.50
Ebenezer Page Cemetery Fund	407.43
Peter Clark Cemetery Fund	101.50
Martha Shedd Cemetery Fund	663.49

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of all Town Officials who are authorized to receive and expend money, for the

fiscal year ending December 31, 1943, and to the best of my knowledge and belief they are correct, with proper vouchers on file, and $87,561.53 in the Treasury.

ROBERT E. GAY,

Town Auditor.

Personally appeared before me on this 22nd day of January, 1944, Robert E. Gay, Town Auditor, and made oath that the foregoing statements are correct.

THOMAS F. FLYNN,

Justice of the Peace.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash Balance January 9, 1943	$ 58,219.34
Loans in Anticipation of Revenue	50,000.00
Loans in Anticipation of Highway Reimbursement	9,000.00

TAXES

1931 Account:		
Interest	$	13.60
Real Estate		20.40
1932 Account		
Real Estate		1.40
1938 Account:		
Interest		.78
Real Estate		3.20
1939 Account:		
Demands		.35
Interest		1.02
Poll		2.00
Real Estate		2.93
1940 Account:		
Interest		.11
Real Estate		1.18
1941 Account:		
Demands		43.25
Excise		4.00
Interest		373.38
Personal		16.92
Poll		2.00
Real Estate		5,785.73
1942 Account:		
Demands		22.75
Excise		79.54
Interest		399.13
Personal		622.24
Poll		8.00
Real Estate		15,358.93

1943 Account:			
Demands		80.15	
Excise		4,999.53	
Interest		44.83	
Personal		64,498.42	
Poll		1,814.00	
Real Estate		66,409.12	
			$160,608.89

TAX TITLES

Tax Titles Redeemed	$	999.31	
Tax Titles Partial Payments		1,266.42	
			$ 2,265.73
Land Owned by the Town Sold	$	170.00	170.00
Foreclosed Tax Titles Land Low Value Sold		455.00	455.00
Surplus on Sales Land Low Value		253.74	253.74

HIGHWAYS

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:			
Highway Chapter 81 Contract No. 4000	$	7,999.99	
Highway Contract No. 3821		530.80	
Highway Chapter 90 Maintenance		2,000.00	
Highway Snow Removal		45.00	
Hire of Highway Trucks		305.50	
			$ 10,881.29
Middlesex County:			
Highway Maintenance Various Roads	$	2,000.00	$ 2,000.00

PUBLIC WELFARE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:		
Aid to Dependent Children	$	3,313.61
Aid to Dependent Children, Federal Grant		2,214.53
Old Age Assistance		12,499.45
Old Age Assistance Federal Grant		14,241.28
Meal Tax (Old Age Assistance)		785.69
Temporary Aid		754.64

Old Age Assistance Reimbursement, Other Cities and Towns	1,280.58	
Public Welfare, Reimbursement, Other Cities and Towns	547.66	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts Division of Child Guardianship Tuition and Transportation	1,737.53	
		$ 37,374.97

STATE AND MILITARY AID

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:		
State Aid	$ 120.00	
War Allowances	335.00	
		$ 455.00

LIQUOR LICENSES

License Fees Collected by Treasurer	$ 2,300.00	$ 2,300.00

POLICE

Middlesex County, House of Correction, Fines	$ 3.50	
District Court of Lowell Fines	1.28	
Pistol Permits	.50	
Chief Cyril L. Barker, Gun Permits	5.50	
		$ 10.78

PUBLIC LIBRARY

Middlesex County, Dog License Money Refunded	$ 671.47	
Abbie M. Blaisdell, Librarian Sale of Cards, etc.	11.00	
		$ 682.47

RENTAL OF TOWN PROPERTY

Karl Trott and Family	$ 105.00	$ 105.00

SCHOOLS

City of Boston, Supplies, etc.	3 521.20	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts Vocational Education	807.33	
		$ 1,328.53

TAXES (STATE)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:		
Corporations	$ 6,655.34	
Income Tax	16,306.50	
Reimbursement Loss of Taxes	3,145.45	
Department of Public Health	254.28	
		$ 26,361.57

TOWN CLERK

Alice A. Pike, Town Clerk		
Dog Licenses	$ 810.80	
Fees, Licenses	417.38	
		$ 1,228.18

TOWN HALL

Rental of Town Hall	$ 60.00	$ 60.00

TRUST FUNDS (INTEREST)

Martha Shedd Fund	$ 6.00	
Ebenezer Page Fund	5.00	
Louisa Bridges Fund	3.00	
Samuel Jacques Fund	3.00	
Jeremiah Kittredge Fund	3.00	
		$ 20.00

MISCELLANEOUS

Advertising	$ 31.50
Cyril L. Barker, Keeping of Deserter	.50
Licenses Class III	10.00
Licenses Slaughter House	20.00
Permits:	
Milk: Store Dealers, Pasteurization	40.50
Beer	1.00
Music Entertainment on Sabbath Day	13.50
Other Permits Miscellaneous	2.00
Sale of Dog	3.00
Sale of Lavatory Supplies	.42
Sale of Copies of Maps of Town	2.50
Sale of Manual Training Supplies	37.94
Sealer of Weights and Measures, Fees	19.59

Refunds:		
Fred C. Church & Co.	5.00	
Lowell Sun Company	4.00	
Estate Edward E. Rowe	15.00	
Reformatory for Women	5.13	
Aetna Surety and Casualty Co., Damages	25.00	
Use of Telephone	17.97	
Telephone Toll Calls:		
Irving F. French	4.60	
Robert E. Gay	4.86	
Bernard H. Greene (1942)	3.55	
Bernard H. Greene	1.30	
A. S. Haines	6.55	
Hinton's Service Station (1942)	11.40	
Buzzell King (1942)	9.15	
Buzzell King	7.90	
George A. Marshall	3.20	
Alice A. Pike	12.37	
E. J. Sullivan	14.52	
Tires Turned In	1.20	
		$ 335.15

CREDIT

Addition to Shawsheen School Building	$ 421.56	
Aid to Dependent Children, Town Appropriation	4,486.62	
Aid to Dependent Children, Federal Grants	2,426.00	
Aid to Dependent Children, Federal Grants Administration	63.27	
Aid, State and Military	451.74	
Assessors	2,787.04	
Board of Registrars	558.75	
Collection of Taxes	999.88	
Clerical Assistance to Treasurer	270.00	
Civilian Defense	360.34	
Dog Officer's Account	200.00	
Fire Department	9,615.15	
Foreclosure of Tax Titles	309.24	
General	71,529.95	
Board of Health	1,665.57	
High School Building Loan	4,687.50	
Highways	7,997.69	
Highways, Chapter 81	13,163.47	

Highways, Chapter 90, Maintenance	5,232.35
Highway Machinery Fund	5,860.15
Incidentals	1,174.30
Interest	230.69
Inspection of Meats and Animals	700.00
Janitor and Fuel	8,609.73
Library	1,969.45
Maintenance of Athletic Field & Structures, etc.	344.62
Maintenance of Legion Hall	123.90
Medical Inspection	200.00
Memorial Day	204.00
Moth Department	1,382.19
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Refund	36.57
Old Age Assistance, Town Appropriation	15,985.03
Old Age Assistance, Federal Grants	13,182.52
Old Age Assistance, Federal Grants Adm. only	472.36
Parks and Commons	183.40
Police Department	10,163.38
Purchase of Property South Side Town Hall	3,000.00
Real Estate Tax Refund	6.44
Shawsheen School Building Loan	2,060.00
Salaries	7,361.00
Schools: School Books and Supplies	1,936.48
Schools: School Houses	2,424.21
Schools: School Miscellany	2,563.36
Schools: School Nurse	1,408.26
Schools: Supervision	892.11
Schools: Teachers	35,395.02
Schools: Massachusetts Retirement Fund (Teachers)	1,612.25
Sealer of Weights and Measures	208.75
Soldiers Honor Roll	142.82
Stationery and Printing	1,058.05
Street Lighting	6,274.04
Transportation	8,164.20
Tree Warden	1,003.65
Town Hall	2,934.73
Trust Funds: Cemetery	20.00
Trust Funds, Municipal Buildings Insurance	1,500.00
Unpaid Bills	247.02
Vocational Schools	872.25
Welfare, (Public)	5,969.31
W. P. A.	1,451.75
	$276,554.11

Total Money Received	$364,115.64	
Total Money Paid Out	276,554.11	
Cash on Hand and in Union National Bank of Lowell	$ 87,561.53	

ASSESTS

Money Due the Town:		
Old Age Assistance Other Cities and Towns	$ 64.33	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts:		
Old Age Assistance	4,833.42	
Aid to Dependent Children	1,000.74	
Karl Trott and Family—Rent of House (Town Property)	45.00	
Outstanding Taxes	21,041.31	
Cash on hand and Balance Deposited in Union National Bank of Lowell	87,561.53	
		$114,546.33

LIABILITIES

High School Loan Notes Nos. 157 to 177 inc.	$ 21,000.00	
Reimbursement Loan Note No. 248 due Feb. 18, 1944	5,000.00	
Reimbursement Loan Note No. 249 due January 7, 1944	4,000.00	
Addition to Shawsheen School Building Loan Notes Nos. 238 to 240 inc.	6,000.00	
		$ 36,000.00
Total Assets		$114,546.33
Total Liabilities		36,000.00
Balance in favor of the Town		$ 78,546.33

TRUST FUNDS

Mnuicipal Building Insurance Jan. 1, 1943:		
Deposited in Savings Bank	$ 18,811.72	
Interest Received for 1943 on deposits	283.26	
Registered War Savings Bonds (2)	1,500.00	
Interest received on Bonds	18.75	
Registered War Savings Bonds (2) Bought with Appropriation 1943	1,500.00	
Total Amount of Fund January 1, 1944		$ 22,113.73

Foster School Fund	1,159.75
Cemetery (Seven)	1,683.86
George A. Peirce	106.04
Tax Titles held by the Town	$ 3,489.94

FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE TOWN LAST TEN YEARS

		Tax Rate
1935 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st	$ 4,256.33	$ 29.60
1936 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st	40,363.11	33.30
1937 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st	26,172.22	33.40
1938 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st	3,502.38	32.00
1939 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st	5.595.52	29.30
1940 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st	670.60	29.60
1941 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st	2,774.55	28.20
1942 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st	21,858.40	28.20
1943 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st	50,423.10	28.00
1944 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st	78,546.33	

RATE PAID ON A. R. NOTES YEAR OF 1943

A. R. Notes Nos. 246 and 247 borrowed at .53% discontinued.
Reimbursement Loan Note No. 248 borrowed at .75% discontinued.
Reimbursement Loan Note No. 249 borrowed at 1% discontinued.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE A. MARSHALL,

Town Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF APPRAISERS

MOTH AND TREE WARDEN DEPARTMENTS

January 1, 1944	$ 1,914.25
January 1, 1943	1,327.70
Net Gain	$ 586.55

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

January 1, 1944	$ 12,295.75
January 1, 1943	10,966.57
Net Gain	$ 1,329.18

IRVING F. FRENCH,

BERNARD H. GREENE,

EDWARD J. SULLIVAN,

Appraisers.

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

1910 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Recommitted during 1943	$ 2.07	$ 2.07
Abated during 1943	2.07	2.07
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none

1911 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Recommitted during 1943	$ 2.15	$ 2.15
Abated during 1943	2.15	2.15
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none

1912 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Recommitted during 1943	$ 2.23	$ 2.23
Abated during 1943	2.23	2.23
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none

1921 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Recommitted during 1943	$ 6.30	$ 6.30
Abated during 1943	6.30	6.30
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none

1922 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Recommitted during 1943	$ 4.17	$ 4.17
Abated during 1943	4.17	4.17
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none

1923 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Recommitted during 1943	$ 5.17	$ 5.17
Abated during 1943	5.17	5.17
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none

1924 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Recommitted during 1943	$ 3.69	$ 3.69
Abated during 1943	3.69	3.69
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none

1925 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Recommitted during 1943	$ 8.10	$ 8.10
Abated during 1943	8.10	8.10
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none

1926 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Recommitted during 1943	$ 59.99	$ 59.99
Abated during 1943	59.99	59.99
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none

1927 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Recommitted during 1943	$ 19.14	$ 19.14
Abated during 1943	19.14	19.14
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none

1928 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Recommitted during 1943	$ 8.84	$ 8.84
Abated during 1943	8.84	8.84
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none

1929 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Recommitted during 1943	$ 29.48	$ 29.48
Abated during 1943	29.48	29.48
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none

1930 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Recommitted during 1943	$ 33.37	$ 33.37
Abated during 1943	33.37	33.37
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none

1931 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Recommitted during 1943	$ 46.20	$ 46.20
Collected during 1943	20.40	
Abated during 1943	25.80	
	46.20	46.20
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none
Interested Collected during 1943	$ 13.60	$ 13.60

1932 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Recommitted during 1943	$ 45.00	$ 45.00
Collected during 1943	1.40	
Abated during 1943	43.60	
	45.00	45.00
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none

1933 Real Estate Accounts

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Recommitted during 1943	$ 46.51	$ 46.51
Abated during 1943	46.51	46.51
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none

1934 Real Estate Accounts

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Recommitted during 1943	$ 25.50	$ 25.50
Abattd during 1943	25.50	25.50
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none

1935 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Recommitted during 1943	$ 25.16	$ 25.16
Abated during 1943	25.16	25.16
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none

1936 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Recommitted during 1943	$ 31.64	$ 31.64
Added to Tax Title during 1943	3.33	
Abated during 1943	28.31	
	31.64	31.64
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none

1936 Excise Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943	$ 8.07	$ 8.07
Abated during 1943	8.07	8.07
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none

1937 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Recommitted during 1943	$ 21.71	$ 21.71
Added to Tax Title during 1943	3.34	
Abated during 1943	18.37	
	21.71	21.71
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none

1938 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Recommitted during 1943	$ 6.40	$ 6.40
Added to Tax Title during 1943	3.20	
Collected during 1943	3.20	
	6.40	6.40
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Interested Collected during 1943	$ 0.78	$ 0.78

1939 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Recommitted during 1943	$ 7.92	$ 7.92
Collected during 1943	2.93	
Added to Tax Title during 1943	2.93	
Abated during 1943	2.06	
	$ 7.92	$ 7.92
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none

1939 Poll Tax Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943	$ 2.00	$ 2.00
Collected during 1943	2.00	2.00
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none
Interest Collected during 1943	$ 1.02	
Costs Collected during 1943	.35	
Total Collected during 1943	$ 1.37	$ 1.37

1940 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943		none
Recommitted during 1943	$ 5.62	$ 5.62
Collected during 1943	1.18	
Added to Tax Title during 1943	2.96	
Abated during 1943	1.48	
	$ 5.62	$ 5.62
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none
Interested Collected during 1943	$ 0.11	$ 0.11

1941 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943	$ 6,058.46	
Recommitted during 1943	7.61	
	$ 6,066.07	$ 6,066.07
Collected during 1943	$ 5,785.73	
Added to Tax Title during 1943	262.71	
Abated during 1943	17.63	
	$ 6,066.07	$ 6,066.07
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none

1941 Personal Tax Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943	$ 21.15	$ 21.15
Collected during 1943	$ 16.92	
Abated during 1943	4.23	
	$ 21.15	$ 21.15
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none

1941 Poll Tax Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943	$ 2.00	$ 2.00
Collected during 1943	$ 2.00	$ 2.00
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none

1941 Excise Tax Account

Outstanding January 1, 1943	$ 14.73	$ 14.73
Collected during 1943	$ 4.00	
Abated during 1943	10.73	
	$ 14.73	$ 14.73
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none
Interest collected during 1943	$ 373.38	
Costs collected during 1943	43.25	
Total collected during 1943	$ 416.63	$ 416.63

1942 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943	$ 20,075.46	$ 20,075.46
Collected during 1943	$ 15,358.93	
Added to Tax Titles during 1943	256.78	
	$ 15,615.71	$ 15,615.71
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		$ 4,459.75

1942 Personal Tax Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943	$ 647.62	$ 647.62
Collected during 1943	$ 622.24	
Abated during 1943	25.38	
	$ 647.62	$ 647.62
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none

1942 Poll Tax Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943	$ 24.00	$ 24.00
Collected during 1943	$ 8.00	
Abated during 1943	14.00	
	$ 22.00	$ 22.00
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		$ 2.00

1942 Excise Tax Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943	$ 129.76	$ 129.76
Collected during 1943	$ 79.54	
Abated during 1943	50.22	
	$ 129.76	$ 129.76
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none
Interest collected during 1943	$ 399.13	

Costs collected during 1943	22.75	
Total collected during 1943	$ 421.88	$ 421.88
Special Warrant for 1942 Real Estate	$ 53.08	$ 53.08
Abated during 1943	$ 53.08	$ 53.08
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		none

1943 Accounts

1943 Personal Warrant	$ 64,838.62	$ 64,838.62
Collected during 1943	$ 64,498.42	
Abated during 1943	1.40	
	$ 64,499.82	$ 64,499.82
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		$ 338.80
1943 Real Estate Warrant	$ 86,505.42	$ 86,505.42
Collected during 1943	$ 66,409.12	
Abated during 1943	3,155.82	
Added to Tax Titles during 1943	808.91	
	$ 70,373.85	$ 70,373.85
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		$ 16,131.57
1943 Poll Tax Warrants	$ 2,292.00	$ 2,292.00
Collected during 1943	$ 1,814.00	
Abated during 1943	474.00	
	$ 2,288.00	$ 2,288.00
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		$ 4.00
1943 Excise Warrants	$ 5,172.00	
Refunded during 1943	36.57	
	$ 5,208.57	$ 5,208.57
Collected during 1943	$ 4,999.53	
Abated during 1943	103.85	
	$ 5,103.38	$ 5,103.38
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944		$ 105.19

Interest collected during 1943	$ 44.83	
Costs collected during 1943	80.15	
Total collected	$ 124.98	$ 124.98
Total Cash collected during 1943 and turned over to Treasurer	$160,608.89	
Collected thru Tax Takings 1943	$ 1,444.15	
Total Amount Collected during 1943	$162,053.04	$162,053.04

Respectfully submitted

HARRY C. DAWSON,

Tax Collector

ASSESSORS' REPORT

Value of Land excluding Buildings Jan. 1, 1943		$ 857,309.00
Value of Buildings		2,232,170.00
Value of Personal Property		2,315,665.00
Value of Property December Assessment		0,000,000.00
Total Valuation for 1943		5,405,144.00
Total Valuation for 1942		5,291,886.00
Gain in Valuation		113,258.00

TAX LEVY FOR 1943

State Tax	$ 3,700.00		
State Park	160.12		
	$ 3,860.12		
County Tax	$ 5,264.37		
County Hospital	1,284.60		
	$ 6,548.97		
Overlays 1943	$ 5,482.50		
Deficit in Overlays	$ 325.99	$	16,217.58

TOWN APPROPRIATIONS

Street Lighting	$ 6,250.00
Incidentals	1,200.00
Highways	15,000.00
Schools	62,746.00
Library (Dog Tax)	1,300.00
Police	10,127.40
Stationery and Printing	1,200.00
Board of Health	3,500.00
Park Commission	250.00
Tree Warden	1,500.00
Department Public Welfare	8,000.00
Aid Dependent Children (plus Fed. Grants)	4,500.00
Bureau Old Age Assist. (plus Fed. Grants)	16,000.00
Fire Department	10,329.50

Town Hall	3,000.00	
Assessors	3,000.00	
Vocational School	1,500.00	
Inspection Meat and Animals	700.00	
Aid: State and Military	2,500.00	
Interest on Loans	600.00	
Collection of Taxes	1,000.00	
Municipal Insurance	1,500.00	
Sealer Weights and Measures	225.00	
Dog Officer ($100 for Keeping Dogs)	300.00	
Maintenance Legion Headquarters	125.00	
Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths	1,500.00	
Board of Registrars	600.00	
Auditor	1,000.00	
Town Clerk (Exclusive of Fees)	750.00	
Tax Collector	1,850.00	
Selectmen	1,100.00	
Election Officers	36.00	
School Committee	225.00	
Road Commissioners	400.00	
Treasurer	2,000.00	
Clerical Services (Town Treasurer)	300.00	
Observance Memorial Day	350.00	
Foreclosure Tax Titles	500.00	
Establish Road Machinery Fund	1,500.00	
Chapter 90 Highway	2,000.00	
Install Light Main Street Near Morris	18.00	
Purchase Property South Side Town Hall	3,000.00	
Memorial and Honor Roll World War II	150.00	
Maintenance Athletic Field and Structures thereon	350.00	
Reserve Fund Chap. 40 Sec. 6	5,000.00	
Expenses School Lunch Project Conjunction with Federal W.P.A. Funds	1,050.00	
Civilian Defense Committee	600.00	
County Aid Agriculture	50.00	
Unpaid Bills:		
Vocational School	43.09	
Dog Officer	98.50	
Police Department	42.63	
Fire Department	62.80	
High School Loan and Interest	4,687.50	
Shawsheen School Loan and Interest	2,060.00	$ 187,676.42
Total Amount to be Raised		$ 203,894.00

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND AVAILABLE FUNDS

Income Tax	$ 14,744.96	
Corporation Taxes	4,435.34	
Reimbursement State Owned Land	3,145.45	
Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	3,500.00	
Licenses	2,667.00	
General Government	5,500.00	
Health and Sanitation	500.00	
Charities (other than Fed. Aid to Dependent Children	6,000.00	
Old Age Assistance (other than Fed. Grants)	7,000.00	
Old Age Tax (Meals)	454.21	
Schools	1,500.00	
Libraries	5.00	
Interest: On Taxes and Assessments	1,000.00	$ 50,451.96
		$ 153,442.04
Net Amount to be Raised on Property	$ 151,344.05	
Net Amount to be Raised on Polls	2,098.00	$ 153,442.04

AUTO EXCISE LEVY

Total Valuation on Automobiles	$	$ 149,500.00
Amount of Warrants to Collector	5,172.00	
Amount Taken as Estimated Revenue	3,500.00	
Amount Abated	170.87	
Balance		$ 1,501.13

TABLE OF AGGREGATES

Number of Dwelling Houses Assessed	1,356
Number of Acres of Land Assessed	11,390½
Horses	57
Cows	601
Neat Cattle	57
Swine	592
Fowl	19,810
All Other	6
Persons Assessed	2,020

EXEMPTED PROPERTY

Congregation Basai Shalon	$ 2,250.00
First Baptist Society	14,100.00
First Congregational Church	42,700.00
Good Samaritan Mission Inc. of Mass.	1,900.00

Kendall Cemetery	1,000.00	
Ladies Shawsheen Camping Club Asso. Inc.	1,035.00	
Lowell High School Alumni Association	700.00	
New Hellenic Orthodox Church Metamorphosis Inc.	680.00	
Oblate Fathers O. M. I.	33,300.00	
Pine Hill Cemetery	1,000.00	
Roman Catholic Archbishop	82,090.00	
Seraphic Seminary Mt. St. Francis	500.00	
Silver Lake Evangelical Asso., Inc.	17,000.00	
South Tewksbury M. E. Mission	5,500.00	
Tewksbury Cemetery Corp.	12,100.00	
Women's Home and Foreign Mission Society Inc., A. C. D.	100.00	$ 215,955.00

TOWN PROPERTY EXEMPT

Cemeteries (Real Estate)	$ 2,300.00	
Fire Protection, Land Reserved for	1,700.00	
Highways (Real and Personal)	13,100.00	
Moth Department (Real and Personal)	2,200.00	
Public Parks (Real Estate)	3,500.00	
Schools (Real and Personal)	230,000.00	
Sealer Weights and Measure (Personal)	1,500.00	
Town Hall (Real and Personal)	83,000.00	
Fire Department (Real and Personal)	25,000.00	
Police Department (Personal)	1,000.00	
Public Library (Personal)	12,000.00	
Scales (Personal)	400.00	$ 375,700.00

STATE PROPERTY EXEMPT

Chap. 59 Sec. 5 Property of Commonwealth of Massachusetts		
Personal	$ 300,000.00	
Buildings	4,000,000.00	
Total		$4,300,000.00

Respectfully submitted,

BUZZELL KING,
AUSTIN F. FRENCH,
HARRY P. NASH,
Board of Assessors

TEWKSBURY POLICE DEPARTMENT
1943

CYRIL L. BARKER, Chief

DANIEL D. STERLING†	ROSS SARGENT
LAUCHIE McPHAIL	GEORGE M. HAZEL
JOSEPH A. VIVIER	GEORGE A. GALE
JAMES MANLEY*	JEREMIAH HOULIHAN
DANIEL J. SHEEHAN	C. ABBOT BATTLES
ARTHUR LaFLEUR*	WALTER LAVELL

TEWKSBURY AUXILIARY POLICE DEPARTMENT

DIVISION 1

Mark Roper (Officer in Charge)

J. Harper Gale	William Smith
John A. MacLellan	Edwin Thorensen
George J. McCoy	William Scarlett
Louis Small	

DIVISION 2

Herbert L. Trull (Officer in Charge)

Harold Smith	John D. Scott
Wallace A. Fiske	Stephen Scribner
Frank Johnson	

DIVISION 3

Philip Battles (Officer in Charge)

Harold Carson	Robert Martin
Cornelius L. Glen	Roy H. Pennock
Walter Jop*	John A. Trull
Roy Lanner	

DIVISION 4

Edwin Osterman (Officer in Charge)

Winthrop Bean	Enoch Lunn
Victor N. Cluff	John Furtado
Uel H. Kinney	

DIVISION 5

Philip W. Rounsevell (Officer in Charge)

Howard Collins	George O'Connell
Merton Curtis	Thomas D. Ray*
Clifford Greeno	Robert C. Renfrew
Hugh McPhee	George Tolstrup

NOTE—*Serving with the Armed Forces of the United States
†Honorable Discharge from U. S. Navy

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE

December 31, 1943

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I respectfully submit the Annual Report of the Tewksbury Police Department, as follows:

Drunkenness	26
Illegitimacy	2
Arrests for other Departments	1
Desertion for U. S. Navy	1
Assault with Intent to Commit Rape	1
Operating under the Influence	2
Operating Unregistered, Uninsured Car	1
Using Automobile without Authority	2
Breaking and Entering and Larceny in Night-time	3
Total	39

Disposition of Cases:

Lowell District Court

Guilty	31
Guilty and held for Superior Court	4
Not Guilty	0
Released by Probation Officer	8
Committed to House of Correction or State Farm	3
Fined	2
Probation or suspension of same	24

Superior Court Cambridge

Guilty	3
Not Guilty	0
Filed	0
Parole Revoked	1
Cases Pending	1
Probation	2

District Court Sessions Attended	33
Superior Court Sessions Attended	9
Civil Sessions, District Court	6
Civil Sessions, Superior Court	10
Federal Court in Boston	1
Telephone calls at the office	4,148
Telephone calls received at Chief's Home	3,146
Complaints received	555
Automobile accidents investigated	33
Summons served	25
Investigations for Selective Service Board	12
Public Functions policed	50
Funerals policed	9
Messages delivered	121
Dogs struck by autos, reported to this office	20
Dogbite cases reported to this office	6
Sudden deaths investigated	3
Doors, windows, etc., found open	10
Snow and ice conditions on highways reported	6
Admitted to Tewksbury State Hospital and Infirmary	26
Lights out, poles and wires down	28
With Lowell Humane Society on Investigations	4
Missing persons reported elsewhere	21
Missing persons reported in Tewksbury	24
Cars stolen elsewhere	75
Cars stolen in Tewksbury	4
Hearings at Office	10
Investigations for other Police Departments	69
Investigations with Agent of MSPCC	4
Registration plates checked	7
Welfare cases transported	12
Fires policed	16
Stolen cars recovered	7
Registration plates picked up	7
Merchandise recovered	$2,760.00
Investigations for Federal Bureau of Investigation	2
Cars transferred	100
Revolver permits issued	11
Blackouts policed	5
Alert Signals received from First Fighter Command	72
Warrants issued	2
Investigations for Ration Board	4
Notices served for Jury Duty	11

It is gratifying to be able to state that we closed the year 1943 with a much brighter picture on the automobile accident situation. We had fewer accidents and no fatalities, which places Tewksbury back on the Honor Roll of the National Traffic Safety Council, which is the first time since 1936.

I wish to call your attention to the much talked of Juvenile Delinquency condition, in Tewksbury. I am happy to report that our juvenile situation is in excellent condition, and I feel with the proper cooperation it will remain that way.

I wish to take this opportunity to extend my thanks to the members of the Board of Selectmen and to the members of the Police and Auxiliary Police Department for their cooperation and the loyal manner in which they served the people during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

CYRIL L. BARKER,

Chief of Police.

REPORT OF THE ROAD COMMISSIONERS AND SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

Board of Selectmen,
Tewksbury, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The following is our report for the year ending Decembed 31, 1943.

CHAPTER 81, AND GENERAL HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE.

The usual highway maintenance was carried out this year, which included the use of gravel, tar, pea stone, pea gravel and patch on our various streets and those that come under our Chapter 81 Contract.

This year under our Chapter 81 Contract, our Department received $1600. less from the State than in previous years.

The sidewalk from St. William's Church to the corner of Chandler Street, which was started the latter part of 1942, has been completed. It has been properly graded and approximately 20.8 tons of bituminous concrete was applied in smoothing the surface.

A new sidewalk railing was erected on Andover Street, from the corner of Trull Street to Hood Road. This new pipe railing is a great improvement over the old one that was of iron. On Mill Street, near the bridge, the old guard rail has been replaced. New cedar posts were used and also about 100 feet of mesh wire. The bridge rail on Shawsheen Street was also repaired. Cedar posts were used here also, and a new plank fence was constructed.

Last year we applied a new surface treatment, which consisted of tar and pea gravel, on Whipple Road. We extended this construction from the residence of Mr. Cluff to the Lowell Line, this year. This covers a distance of approximately 5000 feet. About 468 tons of pea gravel was used. This street is now in excellent condition.

Catch Basins have been installed on the following streets this year:

Street	Location
Pleasant Street	Near Mr. Roper's residence
Marston Street	Near Mr. Sullivan's residence
River Road	Cor. Pine Street and Hood Road
Chandler Street	Near Mr. Brabant's residence
Chandler Street	Corner of Pine Street
Pine Street	Corner of Chandler Street
Town Hall Avenue	Near Mr. Coombes' residence

Due to the increase of all living expenses, we deemed it necessary to increase the salaries of our men again this year. Therefore, beginning July 15, our employees received an increase of five cents per hour, and they were also put on a straight-time basis. The increase from that date to December 31 amounted to $700.

The appropriation voted on and granted our department for the year 1943 was $2000 less than we estimated. To avoid closing our department for the month of December, we were obliged to ask the Finance Board for an additional sum of $1200 to cover our labor expenses for the remainder of the year. This request was granted and our department appreciated the courtesy extended by the Finance Board.

Approximately $1000 of the sum received was used, and the balance was returned to the Town Treasury.

This fall our men were released to various farmers, not only locally but also out of town, to help out during their harvesting. This arrangement proved most satisfactory in helping to solve their labor shortage and our money shortage. These men earned approximately $1600 from this source. We also turned back into the Town Treasury about $375 which was the amount received for the outside rental of our Highway Equipment.

There has been some change in the personnel of our department this year. We regret the loss of one of our highly valued employees, Mr. Homer Darby. Mr. Darby has been employed by the Highway Department for a great many years and is a man that could be called upon at any time and always willingly responded. He has accepted a position at the Tewksbury High School, and we know that they will find him most efficient.

Two of our other employees have been called into the service, namely, Lincoln Gerrish and Francis Brown. The best of luck is extended to them by this department.

It is greatly regretted by the employees of the Highway Department that one of the members of the Board of Road Commissioners, Mr. Louis Berube, is still hospitalized. Though in poor health Mr. Berube takes keen interest in all matters pertaining to this department.

The following tables give the amount of material used on the various street during the past year. Tar shown delivered to the Town Yard was used in mixing patch.

TAR, SAND, PEA GRAVEL AND PEA STONE

Street	Tar Gals.	Sand Cu. Yds.	Pea Gravel Tons	Washed Sand Tons
Whipple Road	4630		468.14	
Andover Street	3936		326.4	465.6
Chandler Street	7018		278.45	
South Street	2364	110		
Lee Street	1538		36.7	
Billerica Street	3020		231.2	
French Street	997	32		
Salem Road	2926		160.7	21.5
Astle Street	2865		311.6	
Pine Street	2270		10.25	
Shawsheen Street	4956	165		
Trull Road	2017	72		
Lake Street	1363	25		
Livingston Street	2896	98		
Marston Street	2668			
East Street	1003		97.1	
Town Yard	1020	1249		

GRAVEL

Street	Cu. Yds.	Street	Cu. Yds.
Nichols Street	406	Coolidge Street	44
Trull Road	270	Whipple Road	60
Orchard Road	534	Heath Street	20
Wells Road	86	River Road	58
Fisher Avenue	188	Rosemary Road	48
Temple Street	162	Pratt Street	20
Astle Street	216	Martin Road	338
Brown Street	92	Pike Street	14
Neveska Road	308	Marsden Street	45
School Street	154	Livingston Street	265
Chestnut Street	128	James Street	8
Kittridge Street	40	Silvas Street	108
Maple Avenue	158	Green Street	56
Glenwood Road	102	Lawson Road	110
Kendall Road	112	Guile Avenue	325
South Street	60	Dubuque Avenue	28
Old Boston Road	14		

CHAPTER 90 MAINTENANCE

The usual maintenance of Chapter 90 Highways was carried out again this year under the provisions of the contract. All of our Chapter 90 Streets are in excellent condition.

We continued the use of a new surface treatment that was recommended to us by the State last year on our Chapter 90 Streets. This treatment consists of an application of tar and pea gravel which is mixed and leveled by a power grader. Pea Stone is applied as a binder and a thorough rolling completes the construction.

We used this surface treatment on Andover Street, extending about 1500 feet from the Lowell Line towards North Tewksbury. Approximately 326 tons of Pea Gravel and 465 tons of Pea Stone was used on this street. The entire length of Salem Road received this application. This covers a distance of about 2500 feet and 160 tons of Pea Gravel and 21 tons of Pea Stone was used. 231 tons of Pea Gravel was applied on Billerica Road from the corner of Glendale Avenue to the Lowell Line. East Street was also treated likewise from the main highway to the corner of North Street. This new type of road construction is proving most satisfactory.

For a financial report of this department, we refer you to the Auditor's report of Highway Expenditures.

In closing this report, our appreciation and thanks are extended to our Board of Selectmen, Finance Committee, State and County Officials and Engineers, for their cooperation and untiring assistance.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS P. SAWYER,

CHESTER M. ROPER,

LOUIS O. BERUBE,

Road Commissioners
of Tewksbury.

RICHARD F. O'NEILL,
Superintendent of Streets.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE TEWKSBURY PUBLIC LIBRARY

The trustees of the Public Library submit the following report:

Details of expenditures will be found in the report of the auditor. Attention is also called to the Librarian's report which follows, and shows that 1043 books have been added.

Regular monthly meetings have been held with the exception of July and August.

Mr. Edgar Smith who has faithfully transported books to the outlying sections over a long period found it impossible to continue this work and Mr. James Marshall was appointed to take Mr. Smith's place. The sections covered are So. Tewksbury, North Tewksbury and Wamesit.

The trustees wish to thank Miss Abbie Blaisdell, librarian, and her capable assistants for their continued cooperation.

It is hoped that the request for $1300 found in the warrant together with money received from the dog license be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

MARIAN E. FRENCH, Secretary.
RUTH W. SMITH,
DOROTHY FITZGERALD,
EDGAR SMITH,
HAROLD J. PATTEN,
HARRY PRIESTLEY,

Trustees of the Public Library.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

To the Trustees of the Tewksbury Public Library:

The following report is respectfully submitted:

During the year one thousand forty three books were added, of these six hundred thirty four were fiction, two hundred twenty two were non-fiction and one hundred eighty seven were juvenile.

The circulation of books and magazines is increasing.

The seven day books are now arranged in groups as follows: best sellers, non-fiction, mysteries, western and lighter fiction. A list of best sellers is to be found on the bulletin board.

The Librarian and Assistants wish to thank the patrons for their prompt return of books and magazines when due and to solicit their co-operation in the future.

CIRCULATION OF BOOKS AT THE LIBRARY

Wednesday Afternoons

Fiction	1555	Religion	1
History	81	Sociology	40
Literature	11	Science	18
Travel	51	Poetry	4
Arts	62	Philosophy	1
Biography	35	Total	1859

Wednesday Evenings

Fiction	3427	Religion	3
History	80	Sociology	57
Literature	22	Science	20
Travel	52	Poetry	7
Arts	57	Philosophy	5
Biography	50	Total	3780

Saturdays

Fiction	11,138	Religion	15
History	293	Sociology	158
Literature	68	Science	114
Travel	194	Poetry	39
Arts	224	Philosophy	17
Biography	211	Total	12,471

Wednesdays and Saturdays 18,110
Library and Districts 19,935

CIRCULATION OF BOOKS IN DISTRICTS

Wamesit

Fiction	540	Religion	2
History		Sociology	5
Literature	3	Science	
Travel	8	Poetry	2
Arts	5	Philosophy	
Biography	3	Total	568

Mrs. Randolph Fitzgerald

Fiction	688	Religion	
History	60	Sociology	14
Literature	10	Science	18
Travel	39	Poetry	10
Arts	9	Philosophy	
Biography	42	Total	890

Silver Lake Bakery

Fiction	365	Religion	
History		Sociology	1
Literature		Science	
Travel	1	Poetry	
Arts		Philosophy	
Biography		Total	367

Total Circulation in District 1,825

CIRCULATION OF MAGAZINES

American	67	Ladies' Home Journal	55
American Cookery	24	Life*	463
American Girl	13	Mademoiselle	36
American Home*	103	McCall's	67
Atlantic Monthly	31	Mechanix Illustrated	52
Better Homes and Gardens	58	National Geographic*	118
Boys' Life		Parents	41
Open Road for Boys	12	Popular Mechanics*	120
Child Life*	80	Popular Science d	3
Children's Playmate	67	Readers' Digest*	80
Cosmopolitan	47	Red Book	40
Good Housekeeping	76	Wee Wisdom	66
Harper's	42	Woman's Home Companion	60
Hobbies	21	Yankee d	15
House Beautiful*	79	Others	14
Hygeia	20	Total	1970

* 2 copies
d discontinued

ABBIE M. BLAISDELL,

Librarian.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE
BUREAU OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE
AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

General Relief: Expenses in this catagory of relief have been lowest since pre-depression days, only 75% of the appropriation was expended. The employment picture has been most favorable, and work has been available for all types of skill.

The case load has consisted of elderly unemployable persons and large families where the head of the household has been unable to work for stated periods of time owing to sickness not covered by insurance payments. As all living costs have increased, the assistance granted to this later type of case is necessarily high.

Again this year, no assistance has been granted to any family with an employable head of the house.

Based on this year's expenditures, it is believed that an appropriation of $6000 should be sufficient to meet the needs of General Relief for 1944.

The following is a recapitulation of the families and persons represented, aided by the Welfare Department for the year 1943:

	Families	*Persons*
Town settled cases aided in Tewksbury	14	28
Town settled cases aided by other cities, towns	2	2
Aided in Tewksbury, unsettled or settled elsewhere	8	41
Hospitalization, members of above families		6
Hospitalization, cases receiving no other aid	9	9
Total	33	86

Old Age Assistance: As a result of enactment of Chapter 489 of the Acts of 1943, certain changes were made in the Old Age Assistance law, greatly liberalizing this form of assistance. It is now required that assistance be granted on a budgetary basis as established by the State Department the minimum amounts as previously set out in 1942 have been retained, but in most cases the budgetary standard far

exceeds the minimum, and of course it is the budget amount that must be granted, if we are to expect State and Federal reimbursement.

Steps have been taken by the Department to cause self-supporting children to contribute, according to an established scale, to the support of their dependent parents, and in general the response from children has been satisfactory.

Although an appropriation of $16,000 was ample for 1943, owing to increased payments in excess of Federal participation, an appropriation of $18,500 appears to be necessary for 1944. This is matched in part by Federal funds, which are a current asset, and ultimately by State Department reimbursements which become a general receipt.

An average of 67 cases were aided during the year 1943.

Aid to Dependent Children: There are 10 families representing 28 persons who are receiving this type of assistance. As this program meets the need of children of school age, the present increased employment opportunities does not affect the situation to any great extent, other than after school or summer work that the children may obtain. It is believed that expenses for 1944 will remain about the same and that an appropriation of $4500 will be sufficient.

The report of expenditures for the three departments will be found in the Auditor's Report. Reimbursements received are recorded in the Treasurer's Report.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD J. SULLIVAN, Chairman

IRVING F. FRENCH

BERNARD H. GREENE

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CIVILIAN DEFENSE

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The Report Center at the Tewksbury State Infirmary has been kept manned 24 hours per day throughout the year. At this time I wish to extend my thanks to the telephone operators on the Hospital switchboard, especially to Miss Cronin and Mrs. Shepcott for their efficient cooperation.

At the present time it seems likely that we will have to maintain the Center for this year only. The set-up there is ideal and I believe that we should continue there until such time as the need as determined by the Army ceases to exist.

For the current year I believe an appropriation of $500 would be ample. This would provide for the maintenance of the telephone service and will leave approximately $200 to meet any at present, unforseen expense which may occur.

The details of our expenditures for 1943, appear in the Auditor's Report. We have incurred very few expenses and at present can see no reason why we should expend much more money the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

EVERETT H. KING,

Chairman.

REPORT OF HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Chairman Greene and Members of the Board of Health of the Town of Tewksbury:

Your agent has a brief and favorable report. There have been very few serious cases of contagious disease. The diphtheria immunization clinic has been carried out, as in past years, but has resolved itself into pre-school rather than school children. This is because such a large percentage of the school's pupils have been previously cared for. The State Health Department asked us to cooperate with them in the examination of the infants and have appointed a competant Pediatrician to meet with the mothers and babies for examination and advice. This work is under the supervision of the Board of Health Nurse, Miss Haines and mothers may contact her for appointments. During the past year we have had more dog bite cases than for many years; but it has happened that there have been no human contacts with rabid dogs. We still have two tuberculosis sufferers in the State sanitarium receiving care, which the health department is required to give and very happy to cooperate in this care and their recovery. Your agent advises people of the town to be unusually careful of slight illnesses and take early precautions as the virus types of disease which are unusually stubborn, when well established are depleting in their results. Again along this line medical care is hard to obtain with the war-time shortage.

HERBERT M. LARRABEE, M. D.

Agent.

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and Citizens:

As Chief of the Fire Department I herewith submit the following report:

Total Number of Fires Attended	188
Brush Fires	69
Grass Fires	69
Building Fires	15
Chimney Fires	6
Dump Fires	4
Automobile Fires	4
Flooded Oil Burners	4
Switch Board Fires	1
Electric Light Wires Arching on Trees	6
False Alarms	4
Out of Town Calls	6

Total value of buildings and contents: $43,250.00.
Damage to buildings and contents: $16,565.00.
Insurance paid on buildings and contents: $9,450.00.
Traveled 864 miles to fires. Laid 8,900 ft. of 2½" hose, 6,350 feet of 1½" hose, 50,500 ft. of 1" hose and used 172 pump cans.
Personal property and real estate of the department, $34,500.00.

Respectfully submitted,

ALDEN S. HAINES,

Chief of the Fire Department.

REPORT OF THE SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and Citizens:

The following is my report as your Sealer of Weights and Measures for the year 1943.

SCALES

Platform of 5000 lbs.	3
Platform of 100 to 5000 lbs.	10
Counter under 100 lbs.	1
Beam over 100 lbs.	1
Beam under 100 lbs.	3
Spring over 100 lbs.	4
Spring under 100 lbs.	12
Computing under 100 lbs.	4
Personal Weighing Condemned	1
Avoirdupois	33

MEASURING DEVICES

Gasoline pumps	10
Kerosene pumps	1
Grease measuring pumps	3
Collected and turned over to the treasurer	$19.59

Respectfully submitted,

VICTOR N. CLUFF,

Sealer of Weights and Measures.

REPORT OF TREE WARDEN

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

As Tree Warden, I submit the following:

Owing to the scarcity of labor, was unable to cut the brush from wall to wall as usual. All straight aways were cut with horse drawn mower and the most dangerous curves cut by hand. Trees considered dangerous have been removed as far as possible but many trees need pruning badly.

Ninety-six Rock Maple trees have been planted on the following streets—James (8), Helvetia (19); Chandler (9); Lee (4); East (12); Marshall (9); New England Power Road (29); Salem Road (4) and North (2). Several trees were killed by a wilt disease during the summer drought after the heavy rains at planting time.

About 200 reflector buttons were installed in trees close to the traveled way.

This department will show quite a large balance unexpended owing to scarcity of labor mentioned above. If help was available, this department should have a larger appropriation but owing to prevailing labor conditions, I would suggest the same amount as last year.

Yours respectfully,

HARRIS M. BRIGGS,

Tree Warden.

REPORT OF THE MOTH SUPERINTENDENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

As agent for the suppression of Gypsy Brown Tail—Tent Caterpillar and Elm tree Beetle, I submit the following:

There is marked decrease in Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths. A check of woodlands is now under way to locate bad infestations which are booked for early summer spraying. The Tent Caterpillar was very troublesome and a special early spraying will be done.

The Elm Tree Beetle was also very plentiful but spraying held them in check and not an Elm was defoliated.

I would recommend the appropriation as of last year.

I wish to thank the Highway Dept. for the help given me during the spraying season.

Yours respectfully,

HARRIS M. BRIGGS,

Moth Superintendent.

REPORT OF THE PARK COMMISSIONERS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

As Park Commissioners, we submit the following:

The commons were raked, fertilizer applied and grass mowed. Since the starting of war the flag has been raised and lowered each day except in storms. Several cords of cow dressing should be applied to the lawns this year. The flag pole should be painted and bandstand repaired. Also, several new flags should be bought.

We suggest an appropriation of $300.00.

Yours respectfully,

THOMAS C. McAUSLAND,
WALTER ROBERTS,
HARRIS M. BRIGGS,
Park Commissioners.

REPORT OF HONOR ROLL COMMITTEE

The sum of $150.00 was appropriated at our last annual town meeting to provide a suitable memorial and honor roll for the men and women of Tewksbury who served in the armed forces in this war.

As this sum was far too small to purchase and erect a fitting honor-roll, we asked for public subscriptions, and the response was very gratifying. We received and turned over to the town treasurer the sum of $644.71, which added to the appropriation made a total of $794.71. With this amount, we bought a service flag for $35.00; loose leaf index books for permanent records of enlisted persons, $5.90 and paid $450.00 for the honor roll delivered at the hall. Each name strip costs sixty cents, and as new names are added, the list can be kept in alphabetical order at all times. We hope the citizens of Tewksbury will like our selection, and we wish to express our thanks to all who donated for this memorial, and to all those who in any way aided us in the selection and dedication of our honor roll. We hope to plant some permanent evergreens around it in the spring, also some kind of flagstone walk or semi-circle at the approach from the street.

IRVING F. FRENCH,
BERNARD H. GREENE,
EDWARD J. SULLIVAN,
Selectmen of Tewksbury.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Town of Tewksbury:

Gentlemen:

The following is the report of the Inspector of Animals from April 1 to December 31, 1943:

Beef cattle	6
Calves for meat	649
Hogs for meat	461

Cattle Inspected Out of State

Cows	347
Calves	22

Animals Condemned

Beef cattle	6
Calves	41
Hogs	5
Number of dogs quarantined	11

Respectfully submitted,

HORACE P. SWEET,

Inspector of Animals.

REPORT OF DOG OFFICER

December 31, 1943.

To the Board of Selectmen,
Town of Tewksbury, Mass.

Gentlemen:

Following is the report of the Dog Officer from January 1, through December 31, 1943—

Dogs licensed	370
Dogs sheltered	20
Dogs destroyed	30
Dogs returned to owners	10
Dogs picked up from highway	3
Investigations (license), complaints, barking dogs, dogs killing chickens, etc.	280

Respectfully submitted,

GERALD J. FINNERAN,
Dog Officer.

JURY LIST — 1943

Name	Occupation
Ackles, Walter R.	Guard
Battles, Philip M.	Farmer
Bennett, William H.	Hydraulic Engineer
Blanchard, Omer O.	Farmer
Bonugli, Leo M.	Merchant
Briggs, Harris M.	Moth Superintendent
Carter, William I.	Florist
Collins, George R.	Finisher
Collins, Leslie	Laborer
Dugau, Fred	Weaver
Fairbrother, Herbert A.	Supervisor
Felker, Onestus A.	Farmer
Goddard, Frank	Salesman
French, Irving F.	Farmer
Greene, Bernard H.	Engineer
Hickey, Francis P.	Supervisor
Hinton, Edgar G.	Filling Station Operator
Kelley, John H.	R. R. Operator
King, Everett H.	Farmer
Lanner, Roy G.	Merchant
Lawler, Arthur J.	Farmer
Lundquist, Victor M.	Florist
McGowan, William H.	Supervisor
Meloy, Frederick F.	Contractor
Mills, Harold W.	Rubber Worker
Ogston, JaJmes R.	Laborer
Patterson, Harry W.	Chauffeur
Prescott, Raymond A.	Clerk
Roberts, Lindley A.	Printer
Sherlock, Francis	Caretaker
Snell, Howard C.	Engineer
Sullivan, Thomas F.	Plumber
Trull, John A.	Farmer
Wells, Arthur W.	Salesman
Williams, Charles D.	Market Gardner
Ward, George A.	Poultryman

IRVING F. FRENCH
BERNARD H. GREENE
EDWARD J. SULLIVAN

Selectmen of Tewksbury

WARRANT FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Middlesex, ss:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town Affairs, to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury on Wednesday, February 2, 1944, at ten o'clock A. M., to act on the following articles:

ART. 1. To choose all necessary Town Officers, to choose by ballot a Moderator, Town Clerk, three Selectmen—one to serve one year, one to serve two years, one to serve three years; three members of the Board of Public Welfare—one to serve one year, one to serve two years, one to serve three years; three members of the Board of Health—one to serve one year, one to serve two years, one to serve three years; a Town Treasurer; an Auditor, a Collector of Taxes, a Tree Warden and three Constables, all to serve one year; one Highway Commissioner to serve three years; one member of the School Committee to serve three years; two Trustees of the Public Library to serve three years; one Park Commissioner to serve three years; one Assessor to serve three years; one Commissioner of Trust Fund to serve three years.

The polls for the election of Town Officers to be opened at ten o'clock A. M. and to be closed at 8 P. M.

And you are also hereby further required and directed to notify and warn the said inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, who are qualified to vote on elections and Town affairs, therein to assemble subsequently and meet in Town Meeting at the Town Hall in said Town of Tewksbury on Wednesday, February 9, 1944, at eight o'clock P. M., then and there to act on the following articles:

ART. 2. To hear reports of Town officers and committees and act thereon.

ART. 3. To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise by taxation to defray necessary expenses for the current year, and make appropriations for the same.

ART. 4. To see if the Town will vote the money arising from licensing dogs, for the ensuing year to aid in support of the Public Library.

ART. 5 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1944, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

VOTED: That the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1944, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ART. 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $350.00 for the proper observance of Memorial Day, and appoint a committee to expend the money. Said committee to be taken from members of Spanish War Veterans, American Legion, or Sons of Veterans.

ART. 7. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to institute suits on behalf of the Town or defend any suits that are, or may be brought against the Town, and to sign any contracts or agreements in behalf of the Town.

ART. 8. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $1,142.72 to pay the County of Middlesex, as required by law, the Town's share of the net cost of the care, maintenance, and repair of the Middlesex County Tuberculosis

Hospital, as assessed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 111 of the General Laws and Acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto including Chapter 400, Section 25 G (6) (a) of the Acts of 1936 or take any action in relation thereto.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen and the Treasurer to foreclose either through the Land Court or by affidavit of the Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation, any Tax Title held by the Town for more than two years, and to see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate therefor or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding $400 for repairs to and maintenance of the athletic field and structures thereon at the High School and for the maintenance of athletics at the High School.

ART. 11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell, after first giving notice of the time and place of sale by posting such notice of sale in some convenient and public place in the town fourteen days at least before the sale, property taken by the town under tax title procedure provided that the selectmen or whomsoever they may authorize to hold such public auction may reject any bid which they deem inadequate, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 12. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Board of Selectmen to sell any parcel or parcels of land acquired by the Town through Tax Title foreclosure proceedings whose Tax Title value is less than $75.00, for whatever sum it may be in their judgment to the best interest of the Town, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 13. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Road Machinery Fund and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing, repairing and operating road machinery; to which fund shall be accredited—in addition to the sum appropriated—such sums as may be allotted for the use of town-owned highway equipment operated for highway purposes in conjunction with the State and County, or take any other action thereto.

ART. 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2000. for the Maintenance of Chapter 90, Highways; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 15. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to gravel and otherwise repair Robinson Avenue, which has been accepted by the Town by vote of a previous town meeting; and furthermore to have the Road Commissioners and Board of Selectmen show cause if any why this thoroughfare should not be repaired and maintained whether an appropriation is made under this article or not.

ART. 16. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer to discharge the Tax Titles on Real Estate in said Town which appear to be of doubtful validity and on which it appears the Town has no claim or interest as follows:

1. Jesse E. Kemp, Trull Street land and buildings, 12 acres, described in a deed, recorded November 28, 1923 Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 699, Page 324.

2. Annie E. Hurley, Lot 35, Clatur Plan, described in a deed, recorded November 28, 1923 Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 699, Page 20.

ART. 17. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $1,000.00, said sum to be used to continue the school lunch program, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 18. To see if the Town will make the following addition to its by-laws:

At least ten days before the annual business meeting of the Town, the Board of Selectmen, the Board of Public Welfare, the Board of Health, the Assessors, the Town Clerk, Collector of Taxes, the School Board, Town Auditor, Chief of Police, Chief of the Fire Department, Tree Warden, and the heads of other town departments shall submit in writing to the Secretary of the Finance Committee an estimate of the prospective expenditures of his or their respective

departments. Such estimates shall contain a breakdown of the principal items of proposed expenditures, including wages, salaries, equipment, supplies and such other items as may be deemed advisable by the department.

If the estimate for wages or salaries includes compensation for employment additional to the employment for the previous year, or any reduction or increase of salary or wages is contemplated, such estimates shall state the work contemplated to be performed by such additional employees, and the reduction or increase in compensation of any employee or officer of the department shall be stated in the estimate.

Unless such estimates are submitted at the time and in the form provided, no appropriation in excess of the appropriation for the previous year of the department failing to file the estimates as above provided shall be made at the annual town meeting.

Upon request of the Chairman of the Finance Committee such officials and heads of the above named departments shall appear before the Finance Committee to explain the reasons for their respective estimates.

ART. 19. To see if the Town will vote that all Motor Vehicles, owned by the Town of Tewksbury, shall be lettered with the name of the Department to which the vehicle belongs, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 20. To see if the Town will vote to abolish the Finance Committee or take any other action.

ART. 21. To see if the Town will vote that beginning with the Annual Town Meeting in February, 1945; the Annual Town Meeting be held on the first Wednesday in February at eight o'clock P. M. And, that any article may be acted upon, except Article One, the election of Town Officers by ballot, which shall be acted upon on the following Wednesday at ten o'clock A. M., at which time the polls will be opened, and will remain open until eight o'clock P. M. of the same day.

ART. 22. To see if the Town will vote to furnish the telephone for the Collector of Taxes, and authorize the expenditure for same to be paid from the appropriation for Collection of Taxes, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 23. To see if the Town will vote to set the salary for the Collector of Taxes, at $2,500. for 1944, and to raise and appropriate that amount for said purpose, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $300. for clerical services in the office of the Town Treasurer for the year of 1944 or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 25. To see if the voters will instruct the Selectmen to demand that the Trustees of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Company adjust the zone fare rates in Tewksbury so that each zone will call for a 5c rate as is now in effect in other towns on the Lowell Everett route.

ART. 26. Also to see if the voters will instruct the Selectmen, in case the Trustees do not voluntarily adjust the rates as before mentioned, to demand a hearing before the Board of Trustees or take any other action in regards to the operation of Eastern Massachusetts buses in Tewksbury.

ART. 27. To see if the Town will vote to raze the house adjoining the town hall and owned by the town, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $50.00 in support of the Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture, through the Middlesex County Extension Service, said money to be spent under the direction of the local director or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 29. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for necessary expenses of the Civilian Defense Committee, or take any other action thereto.

ART. 30. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for a reserve fund under Section 6 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws or take any other action thereto.

ART. 31. To see if the Town will vote to increase the salary of the Inspector of Slaughtering $200.00 per year or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 32. To see what salary or rate of compensation the Town will vote to pay the Assessors, and Tree Warden, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 33. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropropriate or transfer from available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the purchase of war bonds or other bonds that are legal investments for savings bank, in order to establish a post-war rehabilitation fund, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 5, Acts of 1943.

ART. 34. To see if the Town will amend the by-laws of the Town relating to the time of holding the Annual Town Meeting by striking out such by-laws and substituting the following:

The annual election of Town Officers shall be held on the first Wednesday in February. Polls shall be open from 12 noon to 8:00 P. M. All other business shall be transacted on the second Wednesday in February, commencing at 7:30 P. M., or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 35. To see if the Town will vote to finish grading and widening Marston Street from Whipple Road to Rogers Street, make appropriation for same or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 36. To see if the Town will vote to pay the Town Clerk $1,000. per year, or take any action on same.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and leave one hundred copies for the use of the citizens at the Post Office in said Town, 8 days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid:—

Given under our hands, this 15th day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and forty-four.

IRVING F. FRENCH,
BERNARD H. GREENE,
EDWARD J. SULLIVAN.
} Selectmen of Tewksbury

A true copy attest:

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Constable of Tewksbury

TABLE OF ESTIMATES FOR 1944

Street Lighting	$ 6,300.00
Incidentals	1,300.00
Highways	17,000.00
Schools	69,667.50
Library (Dog Tax)	1,300.00
Police	12,821.00
Stationery and Printing	1,200.00
Board of Health	3,000.00
Park Commission	250.00
Tree Warden	1,500.00
Department of Public Welfare	6,000.00
Aid to Dependent Children (Plus Federal Grants)	4,500.00
Bureau of Old Age Assistance (Plus Federal Grants)	18,500.00
Fire Department	11,203.82
Town Hall	4,650.00
Assessors	3,300.00
Vocational School	1,500.00
Inspection of Meat and Animals	900.00
Aid, State and Military	2,000.00
Interest on Loans	600.00
Collection of Taxes	1,000.00
Municipal Insurance	1,500.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	225.00
Dog Officer ($100 of this amount for the keeping of dogs)	300.00
Maintenance, Legion Headquarters	125.00
Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths	1,500.00
Board of Registrars	600.00

SALARY ACCOUNT

Auditor	$ 1,000.00
Town Clerk (exclusive of fees)	750.00
Tax Collector	1,850.00
Selectmen	1,100.00
Election Officers	200.00
School Committee	225.00
Road Commissioners	400.00
Treasurer	2,000.00

Annual Report

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF THE

Town of Tewksbury

ALSO

Report of Superintendent of Schools

For the Year Ending December 31,

1943

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Mrs. May L. Larrabee	1943-1946 Chairman	Tewksbury
J. Harper Gale	1941-1944 Secretary	Tewksbury
Ralph S. Battles	1942-1945	No. Tewksbury

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Stephen G. Bean — Wilmington

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Herbert M. Larrabee, M. D. — Tewksbury

SCHOOL NURSE

Miss Edith E. Haines, R. N. — Tewksbury

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

Harry Wiley (inactive part of the year from ill health) — Tewksbury

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The work and supervision in the schools has been carried on as usual.

Necessary repairs have been made on all school property during the past year.

During the summer vacation the halls and stairways in the Foster School were painted. The columns and white trim on the entrance to the High School was also painted.

A new dry well was completed in the rear of the High School eliminating a sewage problem which had given considerable trouble during the past year.

Due to restrictions issued by the Office of Defense Transportation, the school bus transportation system was greatly curtailed June 1. The Eastern Massachusetts Bus Co. was dropped entirely and the work has been carried on by the three local buses. This has caused considerable inconvenience to many pupils who have been obliged to walk to school especially those living within a mile of their school. The committee hopes to resume the regular trips as soon as the government restrictions are lifted.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT APPROPRIATION
ELEMENTARY

Superintendent	$ 912.50	
Supervisors	700.00	
Teachers	23,600.00	
Health	1,700.00	
Janitors	3,880.00	
Transportation	1,500.00	
Fuel	1,800.00	
Books and Supplies	1,500.00	
Insurance	100.00	
District	150.00	
Miscellaneous	1,000.00	
Repairs	1,500.00	
Attendance Officer	75.00	
		$ 41,417.50

HIGH

Supervisors	$ 700.00	
Teachers	17,700.00	
Janitors	1,560.00	
Transportation	2,500.00	
Fuel	1,200.00	
Books and Supplies	1,400.00	
Miscellaneous	1,200.00	
Equipment and Repairs	1,200.00	
Health	65.00	
Library	100.00	
Attendance Officer	25.00	
Insurance	600.00	
		$ 28,250.00
Total		$ 69,667.50

Respectfully submitted.

MAY L. LARRABEE, Chairman
J. HARPER GALE
RALPH S. BATTLES

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee,
Tewksbury, Massachusetts.

Madam and Gentlemen:

The following is the thirteenth in the series of Annual Reports that I have prepared as Superintendent of Schools. War effort still being the chief endeavor of the nation, there is a natural reflection of this in our schools.

It is very evident to all who read current newspapers and the better type monthly publications that this struggle is having a tremendous influence on the lives and characters of school children. Part of this trouble is traceable to unnatural home environments resulting from economic conditions and an even more important part to a peculiar type of nervous tension and reaction which is much harder to diagnose.

Upset home conditions, while by no means universal, are nevertheless all too general. The demand for labor and the resultant high wages have attracted from many homes mothers who in normal times would never have thought of outside employment. When such employment is played up as a patriotic duty, the results are surprising. There are many cases where both parents are employed either at the same time or on alternate shift periods so that the family is almost never together as a unit and gradually disintegrates as a basic educational force.

The importance of family life as an educative element is held too lightly or not recognized at all by the majority of modern people. The family unit is not the closely knit organization that it used to be and is still intended to be. Community of interests between parents and children has gradually grown less and less as our means of enjoying such interests have increased. Instead of serving as a means to strengthen family influences we have seen these instrumentalities become means of family disunion. Many a father has literally been driven out of the house by the sob-sister stories and the soap programs blared by the radio when programs of much greater value to the family are on the air. Of course, children are not interested in the "dry"

programs if no effort is made to make them interesting by family training.

Another missed opportunity in the home is a community of interest in reading as a pastime rather than a means of learning what the Sox did today or whether Superman has a bomber by the tail with one hand while juggling a submarine with the other. Lately scientists have ruined Popeye's one excuse for existence by discrediting the strengthening effects of spinach. Reading together can be such a source of family unity at so little cost that it seems a pity to see its many advantages go to waste. A whole book could be written on the benefits to children in school that could be derived from such a family practice.

Any healthy family life is of course predicated on a family which meets together after the day's work is done. As mentioned above, this has been made almost impossible by the demands of war.

The psychological or spiritual effects of present world conditions are more important either to define or to trace. Their effect is universally evident and is presenting a real problem to both courts and social agencies in the larger communities. There is a spirit of unrest, defiance and disregard of accepted rules of good behavior and even morals, which is truly appalling. Those who criticize teachers for lack of perfect control of large classes might well have a talk with some of our city police officers.

GENERAL OBSERVATIONS

In spite of many increasing difficulties our schools have progressed during the year with a reasonable degree of accomplishment. In some places we have done even better work than in the preceding year. I cannot help but feel that the teachers in the upper half of the schools, that is, in grades six through twelve, are having an increasingly hard struggle to get cooperation from their pupils. Local school children are touched by this world struggle just as are children of the cities. The high school pupil has a peculiarly hard situation. The lure of easy money in war jobs and the pull of various influences towards some part of the armed service has a very decided effect on his general attitude towards purely academic accomplishment. Subject matter having a manifest utilitarian value can be taught with much greater ease than the humanities. The motivation in the former is almost self-contained and automatic. One notable example of this is the change in attitude in mathematics and science classes. These

subjects have a special appeal for the boys who have learned from newspapers and radio the bearing these subjects have on success in the various branches of the armed services and in industry. They attack willingly the problem of Elements of Electricity and Elements of Machines instead of fearing the same under the title of Physics. Algebra, geometry and triginometry lose some of their fearfulness when the motivation of usefulness enters the picture from the standpoint of practical application. This is as it should be. We have in the past missed out in failing to take time to sell the practical values of these subjects before plunging the victim into what seems like a jumble of meaningless combinations of the letters of the alphabet. I believe therefore that in spite of the impact of world conditions, or because of it, the high school pupils are getting a better fit for the future than we used to give them.

In the Social Sciences like History, Geography and Economics this war has provided wonderful motivation if teachers have the vision to capitalize on it. At no time in my experience has there been so good an opportunity to bring the necessity of knowledge of these subjects in everyday living as is now presented. These should not be presented by simply learning from textbooks however. The daily newspapers and monthly or weekly reviews should be the real texts. Books should serve as references for basic authorities only. The teacher who stays 'wedded to the textbook' will fail miserably.

BUILDING CONDITIONS

Through judicious expenditure the outward appearance and condition of all school buildings is very satisfactory. Within, in the matter of equipment, there is room for decided improvement which for the time being is almost impossible to remedy. There are too many decrepit and antiquated seats and desks in some of the elementary school rooms. Some of these bear the markings of people in town whose children have graduated from high school. Temporarily, replacements are impossible. They simply cannot be bought. There are also several teacher's desks which have reached the age of retirement.

Most of the heating plants in town are in excellent condition and are working efficiently. This brings to mind the intolerable conditions in the Shawsheen School. Here a condition exists which seems due to avoidable circumstances of either planning or construction. Whatever the cause it is working to the serious disadvantage of the children served by this building. The School Committee has done

everything possible to remedy the situation. It is to be hoped that the alterations now in process of preparation will rectify matters. It is unfortunate that the weather has been so unfavorable under present circumstances. Cold and wind are a bad combination for this particular situation.

The school authorities have done their best to meet this difficulty. It was found impossible to heat the two rooms in the new addition. This difficulty had been met the year before by burning out several sections of the furnace under forced draft of a soft coal stoker. It was evident that this could not continue even if we could find another janitor to bear what Mr. Tolstrup bore through last winter. It was decided to close the two cold rooms and put the school on a two session day. Because of the various sizes of seats required it was necessary to group classes strangely. It was deemed best to have as many as possible of the younger children attend the forenoon sessions. It was therefore found necessary to have the first, second, fourth and fifth grades in attendance from eight-thirty to twelve-thirty and the remainder of the children from twelve-thirty to four-thirty. Recesses were reduced to a minimum in order to allow as much class time as possible. The result is that actual teaching time was reduced from four hours and thirty-five minutes to about three hours and forty-five minutes. This is too great a loss to continue for any great length of time. It is hoped it may not have to last very much longer. Parents in this section have been very reasonable in their acceptance of this unfortunate condition and are assured that it will be remedied as soon as is humanly possible.

PERSONNEL CHANGES

In common with all of the smaller towns of the state and nation Tewksbury has suffered an unusual teacher turnover during the year. Only one school had the same complete staff report for duty in September as was there in June.

The high school faculty was subject to a sixty per cent change in personnel. Mr. Hoyt resigned to enter the field of superintendency and this naturally deprived us of the services of Mrs. Hoyt who had taught Latin and some other branches. Miss Dutton of the Domestic Science Department accepted a position in her home town, Dracut. Miss Groesbeck secured a much more lucrative position in a Long Island community. The industrial world attracted Miss Mulrey from our staff. Miss Papaconstantineau took up other work elsewhere.

To balance these losses Mr. David Lynch, the sole remaining male member of the faculty was made acting principal. Miss Dutton was succeeded by Miss Marie B. L'Esperance, a young lady of experience in both the teaching and commercial ends of her department. Miss Groesbeck's classes were taken over by Miss Joan Holt of Portland, Maine, a recent university graduate. The position teaching Latin was assumed by Miss Lillian Schwartz also recently graduated from college. Miss Mary P. Keefe of Dover, N. H. succeeded Miss Mulrey and Miss Rita Sullivan of Lowell was employed to round out the staff. We feel that we have an excellent team in spite of the many changes. We were very fortunate to retain some of the strongest members of last year's organization. The committee has done its best to reward their faithfulness. The position as instructor in Science presented the gravest difficulty. Miss Papaconstantineau was not available for duty in the fall and by the greatest of good fortune we were able to secure the services of Mrs. Vera C. Allen of Whitefield, N. H. Mrs. Allen has had some very valuable experience both in Nasson Institute, a type of Junior College in Maine, and at Rogers Hall School in Lowell.

Shawsheen School suffered its previous misfortune as to changes in staff. It has been more or less upset all through the year and changes seem likely in the near future. In September, four of the teachers from the June preceding were on hand. Mrs. Margaret Oliver resigned in the summer, Miss Eileen Flynn served temporarily as first grade teacher in Mrs. Oliver's stead and temporary substitutes took care of Miss Mathew's class. Later Miss Louise F. Wood, a teacher of some experience was secured for the first grade and Miss Flynn was put in charge of grade three. It was soon evident that Mrs. Hedstrom's room was hopelessly overcrowded and we were obliged to place the fourth grade in the small extra room under the control of Mrs. Dorothy Barry formerly Dorothy Ogston whose husband had entered the service. A complete roster of the present staff will be found on a later page.

Miss Harriet Donehue, Supervisor of Music for the High School resigned to accept a better salary in a Rhode Island town. We finally secured Miss Evelyn Mekelatos, a prominent member of last year's class of music supervisors at Lowell Teachers College.

RATIONING AND WEATHER

These two again took their toll of our precious school days and added to the difficulties of both teachers and pupils in their endeavor to do a full year's work. Even without interruption there is none

too much time for the completion of a full program. A few days lost here and there do not seem important at the moment but such losses mean a crowding and hurrying of processes which can be neither crowded or hurried. Learning takes time, persistence and continued application and teaching must precede the learning. We have all too little time as it is. Through the years the school day and the school year have been shortened to a dangerously brief period in consideration of the many elements which have been added to the curriculum. There are those who say that we are creating a false concept of life in our no school days because of bad weather and the frequent vacations. It is claimed that it is difficult for young people to get used to getting to work on time every time and all of the time, regardless of weather conditions.

The rationings are of course creatures of the times and matters of necessity under our present setup of war economy. Teachers should take their election to do these intricate jobs as one of the few recognitions of their training and abilites. There was probably no other group of people available with the organization and personnel capable of handling such intricate matters on such short notice. It is a distinct complement to our profession that we were elected to do the job. I want to take occasion to thank all again for the fine spirt shown and the efficient manner in which the work was done.

ENROLLMENT

There is again a slight drop in the school enrollment from last year's level. In the elementary schools the figures are almost exactly the same. Naturally the high school numbers are smaller. The draft of the eighteen year olds and the enlistment of those nearing that age accounts for part of the decrease. The balance is doubtless due to the demand for young people at various kinds of work projects. While it does seem a pity for these young people to accept the lure of easy money which is only temporary it is nevertheless wholly understandable. One of our worst national characteristics is the everlasting quest of easy money.

THE HEALTH PROGRAM

I find that I have to repeat myself every year on this element of our school activities. Our team of Dr. Larrabee and Nurse Haines do such a good job every year that each year is much like the last except if some entirely new proceedure appears. If this happens we find our team 'on the ball.'

One element of what might be considered a part of the health work has of necessity been curtailed this year. Our lunch projects have been temporarily curtailed because of food shortages resulting from the necessity that we feed a large part of the freed peoples and our allies.

CONCLUSION

I extend to all of my associates sincere thanks for their cooperation in these trying times.

May I call your attention to the various reports which will be found in connection with the foregoing.

Respectfully submitted,

STEPHEN G. BEAN.

Wilmington, Mass.
January 10, 1944

REPORT OF THE HEADMASTER

Tewksbury High School

January 1944

To the School Committee of the Town of Tewksbury:

This report is a factual history of Tewksbury High School for the year 1943, the ninth year of the school, and the third year under the influence of World War II. The following table compares the enrollment of students on October 1 of the past three years.

	1941			1942			1943		
	BOYS	GIRLS	TTL.	BOYS	GIRLS	TTL.	BOYS	GIRLS	TTL.
Post Graduates		1	1		2	2		1	1
Seniors	21	17	38	14	17	31	12	24	36
Juniors	25	26	51	23	30	53	16	23	39
Sophomores	26	32	58	23	25	48	17	21	38
Freshmen	30	34	64	29	35	64	28	36	64
Totals	102	110	212	89	109	198	73	105	178

The National drop in high school enrollment is 6.2% and our drop is about 10%. The chief cause for the loss in student enrollment is found in the local labor situation. The lure of abnormally high wages for unskilled help has induced many boys to leave school. Since national reports indicate that the United States is definitely past the manpower crisis, parents are cautioned against sacrificing their children's education on the altar of manpower shortage. Some of our boys have been unable to resist the call to service in our armed forces, in spite of the fact that the War Department has urged boys to finish their high school courses.

STUDENT COURSE DISTRIBUTION

Commercial	57
College	54
General	39
Manual Training	13
Nurses Training	11
Home Economics	4
	178

In June, 1943, Tewksbury High School was awarded, for the eighth time, a Class A Certificate by the State Department of Education.

The Eighth Annual Commencement of Tewksbury High School was held at the high school, June 25, 1943. Mr. Ralph Battles presented the diplomas to the graduating class.

Salutatory
GERARD COTE

Honor Awards
HEADMASTER HERBERT HOYT

The Larrabee Scholarship Medals
ETHEL HARMAN

The Balfour Award
MARGARET RUTH BRADLEY

The P. T. A. Citizenship Medal
ESTELLE M. IVES

The Washington and Franklin History Medal
Massachusetts Society Sons of American Revolution
MR. BEAN, Superintendent of Schools
IRENE BAZMAN

Presentation of the Class Gift
WILLIAM CHANDLER President Class of 1943
JOHN READY President Class of 1944

Valedictory
ETHEL HARMAN

SENIOR CLASS

Katherine A. Bischoff
Phyllis R. Blair
Margaret Ruth Bradley
Nancy E. Cameron
Paulette M. Doucette
Hazel G. Farrell
Angela L. Gillissen
Ethel M. Harman
Albert L. Bonugli
Leon S. Bonugli
Raymond J. Brooks
Charles R. Carter
James R. Carter
William A. Chandler
Philip J. Cogan
Gerard W. Cote

Gloria F. Holmes
Mildred A. Hughes
Madelaine E. Isbister
Estelle M. Ives
Helen F. Nelson
Marcia Pike
Eleanor E. Sullivan
Roberta Treadwell
Marguerite T. Tremblay

Henry D. Dillon
Antonio C. DiPalma
Roger L. Ives
Robert E. Macaulay
John J. McNulty
Charles E. Sargent
Joseph M. Stanton
Richard Trull

Class Marshall
RICHARD TRULL

JUNIOR USHERS
Beverly Bennett, Isabel Blue, Joseph Canovan, John Ready

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

MUSIC—The high school Glee Club executed, with almost professional finesse, a Minstrel Show which called on practically all of the talent of the school. Miss H. Donehue was the capable directress.

DRAMA—The student of Drama played a series of three one-act plays at the high school and later gave the same performance in a competition at Lynn, Massachusetts, where they won Honorable Mention. The plays were directed by Miss D. L. Groesbeck.

SPORTS—The Athletic Association Report for 1942-1943

RECEIPTS

Football	$ 215.58	
Basketball	163.30	
Baseball	8.23	
Field Hockey	8.24	
Total		$ 395.35
Balance on Hand, Sept. 1, 1942		8.28
		$ 403.63

EXPENSES

Football	$ 131.48	
Basketball	133.35	
Miscellaneous	128.20	
Total		$ 393.03
Balance on Hand, Sept. 1, 1943		10.60
		$ 403.63

Public attendance at high school games is reflected in the above report. The total receipts are about half of those in past years. A reversal in public interest will help keep sports in the high school in the future. Friends of the high school and parents of the children are asked to give wholehearted support to our public sports events for the duration of the war because of the social advantages of an athletic program for our young people.

Miss Kathryn Chandler and Mr. Charles Hazel are in charge of the new physical education program which is given during regular class periods. The students have all had a physical examination before being permitted to participate in the classes. Care has been taken to reach a top physical condition and keep down the risk of injury.

Particular evidence of the physical condition of our boys is shown in our athletic competition where our boys have consistently surpassed other teams in physical stamina. The town owes a vote of thanks to Mr. Hazel who has stepped in when our need was most acute and assumed the complicated duties of athletic director and physical education. Never has the mental or physical condition of our boys been better, in spite of the fact that we play much larger schools and do not win all games.

In December, 1943, our football team and cheer squad were feted, at a banquet in the Town Hall, by a committee of public spirited townspeople. This gesture by the people of Tewksbury is one that will be long remembered by the boys and girls and has furnished inspiration for our sports program.

THE STUDENT COUNCIL—In the fall of 1943, the students of the high school formed a Student Council with Miss Mary Keefe as the faculty advisor. The general duties of the Council are to supervise all of school activities such as school music, class parties, sports events, the school library, the "Suggestion Box," and the school song contest.

THE YEAR BOOK—This year, for the first time, Tewksbury High School will have a year book which is being compiled by members of the senior class under the direction of Miss Catherine Maguire.

THE BUSINESS LAW CORPORATION—This organization sells milk, orangeade, ice cream, and cookies during the lunch period. The profits from this activity will be applied to the sound movie projector. Miss Rita Sullivan is in charge of this public spirited group of students.

THE WAR SAVINGS DRIVE—The students of the high school have bought enough bonds and stamps to finance the construction of at least two jeeps and furnish them with plenty of gasoline and ammunition.

THE SALVAGE DRIVE—The students collected several tons of newspaper and magazines which has been turned over to a paper company and converted into much needed war supplies.

THE JUNIOR RED CROSS—Miss Joan Holt has organized a large group of girls who have contributed much to the work of the Red Cross. At the present time, the group is studying a course in home nursing which gives them practical instruction in all of the fundamental nursing routines.

THE SCIENCE CLUB—New to the school this year in this group of young scientists under the inspiration of Mrs. Vera Allen. Field trips have been made to the State Hospital and the Lowell Gas Company in order to obtain, at first hand, information of a scientific nature.

CURRICULUM ACTIVITIES

NEW RECITATION PERIODS—We are operating on a seven period day of forty five minutes each period. This change permits the introduction of the physical education classes for boys and girls during the regular school day.

ECONOMIC GEOGRAPHY—To help students maintain touch with a fast changing world and work on problems of international relationship, we have introduced a new course of business geography which is taught by Miss Mary Keefe.

REMEDIAL READING—A special class in reading has been inaugurated in order to help the student acquire a more precise meaning of the words he reads. Miss Rita Sullivan, a specialist in the field, is in charge of this new undertakiug.

SPANISH—Miss Lillian Swartz has volunteered to teach Spanish in addition to her regular courses. We have had a favorable student response to this course, new to the Tewksbury curriculum.

VOCATIONAL GUIDANCE—All freshmen are required to participate, one hour each week, in a class in orientation and vocational

guidance. The purpose of the course is to aid the student in self-analysis, job analysis, and interest finding. A strong interest will keep students in school and make them see the value of a high school education. The entire student body will be tested by a series of proven guidance tests and interviewed before the end of the school year. The test results will be confidential and used only in student guidance. Guidance has been designated by foremost educators as the most important of all high school courses at the present time. This is our first year with a real guidance program in the high school and it may be some time before we reap the full benefits of such work but it should be a comforting thought for all concerned to know that we are moving in the right direction.

TEACHING STAFF CHANGES

RESIGNED	APPOINTED	SUBJECT
Miss D. L. Groesbeck	Miss Joan Holt	English
Miss Evelyn Dutton	Miss B. L'Esperance	Home Economics
Miss Elizabeth Mulry	Miss Mary Keefe	History
Miss F. Pappaconstantineau	Mrs. Vera Allen	Science
Mrs. Herbert Hoyt	Miss Lillian Swartz	Mathematics
Mr. Herbert Hoyt	Miss Rita Sullivan	English

Mr. Herbert Hoyt resigned as headmaster and Mr. David O. Lynch was appointed in his place in August, 1943.

Mr. Harry Wiley became ill and was forced to leave the school in the spring of 1943. We were indeed sorry to see the passing on of this staunch friend of the high school. Mr. Arthur Norris filled the position of custodian until November 1943 when Mr. Homer Darby was appointed.

The new teachers have quickly become adjusted to the school system and have fully cooperated in the administration of high school affairs. The School Committee, Superintendent S. Bean, and the P.T.A. have left nothing undone to better conditions at the high school. Their cordial aid and sincere interest insures the Town of Tewksbury of a high quality of high school program.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID O. LYNCH,

Acting Headmaster.

Age-Grade Distribution

October 1, 1943

Gr/Age	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	21+	
I	24	37	10					1								71
II		27	32	9	2	1										71
III			18	41	17	3	1									80
IV			2	22	28	7	5	1			1					66
V					22	40	12	3	5	2	2					86
VI						19	26	15	4							64
VII						2	18	31	7	9						71
VIII								19	27	17	5	1				69
T	**24**	**64**	**62**	**72**	**69**	**72**	**62**	**69**	**43**	**28**	**12**	**1**				**578**
IX								1	15	30	10	4	3			63
X										14	20	4				38
XI											7	28	5			40
XII												14	18	3	1	36
T								**1**	15	44	37	50	26	3	1	177
G. T.	**24**	**64**	**62**	**72**	**69**	**72**	**62**	**70**	**58**	**72**	**49**	**51**	**26**	**3**	**1**	**755**

Teacher-Grade Distribution

October 1, 1943

FOSTER SCHOOL

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	38
Howard								38					38
Lyons							36						36
Flynn						36							36
Piper					43								43
Blake				39									39
Colbath			36										36
Cunningham		34											34
Meloy	34												34
Total	**34**	**34**	**36**	**39**	**43**	**36**	**36**	**38**					**296**

SHAWSHEEN SCHOOL

Washburne							14	24					38
Hobart						26	13						39
Hedstrom					40								40
Barry				22									22
Flynn			39										39
Katherina		36											36
Wood	29												29
Total	**29**	**36**	**39**	**22**	**40**	**26**	**27**	**24**					**243**

ELLA FLEMINGS SCHOOL

Hersey					3	2	8	7					20
Generales	8	1	5	5									19
Total	**8**	**1**	**5**	**5**	**3**	**2**	**8**	**7**					**39**

HIGH SCHOOL

Lunch									63	38	40	36	-
Total									**63**	**38**	**40**	**36**	**177**
Grand Total	**71**	**71**	**80**	**66**	**86**	**64**	**71**	**69**	**63**	**38**	**40**	**36**	**755**

Teachers' names as of Dec. 31, 1943

REPORT OF THE MUSIC SUPERVISOR
ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

To Mr. Stephen G. Bean and
Members of the School Committee.

Dear Sirs and Madam:

Herein is my annual report as Music Supervisor in the Elementary Schools.

The trend in all Education today is materialistic. The arts and cultures are giving way to the utilities. Nothing seems to be done in the classical tradition. There is, also, the upsurge in materialism in music. The radio is our most formidable foe as teachers of music. We have learned that music has form. Its structure is intellectual, emotional and sensuous. To have beauty there must be balance in these. No one who listens to the radio but realizes that we are living in an age of much ugly architecture in music. We have the broken rhythm of the jungle, and the noise and din of constant and careless dissonance, with the intellectual in complete abeyance to the emotional and sensuous—and our boys and girls spend a great deal of time with the radio. Over against this condition, and made difficult by it, our aim and task is to develop skill in beautiful, free singing; and our chief concern to awaken a love for, and appreciation of, beautiful music that will stimulate the desire for fine music every day.

Our music course was worked out with this in mind. We do make room for the use of popular music but we classify and designate and discuss before we use it. The attitude of the teachers and supervisors is a good deterrent. We felt rewarded, when the boys and girls in the eighth grade were given a choice of music to be used at graduation, to find that the girls had chosen a song very beautiful in its daintiness and simplicity while the boys chose songs that were sturdy; and that without hesitation, the choice was immediate.

The regular routine work of our music course is our main effort. We drill and practice. We do not simply *expose* the child to music in the hope that he will *contract* musical knowledge and skill. We *teach* him all the rudiments and fundamentals he will absorb. This

routine work could become dull and humdrum to the teachers, due to its sameness year after year, but the supervisor endeavors to make it interesting for them, as well as the child, by arranging and assigning

1. Simple projects related to studies, holidays, seasons of the year, and character training.
2. Variety in materials.
3. Contests and tests with simple awards.
4. Objectives and Goals.
5. Devices of various kinds.

Through these we motivate and hold the interest.

In January a new device was tried in the fifth, sixth and seventh grades by the use of the Providence Inventory Test. This is a standard achievement test. It proved of value to the boys and girls in two ways, i. e.

1. Gave them insight as to what other boys and girls are doing in music.
2. Showed them how much or how little they had studied and acquired.

It revealed to the teachers and the supervisor wherein we had succeeded and what things had been neglected. We shall use this device again.

"Music for a world at war" could well have been the slogan or theme for our musical year. The request for patriotic songs came from the children themselves. The navy, army, aircorps and marine songs were, and are, in constant demand. Because music is a vital factor in building a state of mind and heart we satisfied this request. The supervisor also endeavored to intensify and encourage the singing of songs which best embody the spirit and ideals of our country by a simple project in "American National Song" in February. This was assigned to each grade, the theme being "Our Country." In November another similar project had for its theme "Loyalty and Service to our Country," which made use of various types of patriotic songs.

There is little opportunity and facility for program work. However, each class has its own "Songfest" once in two months and at holiday seasons, where there is free choice of songs by the boys and

girls. "Musicale Matinees," where grades entertain each other in solos, duets and chorus, are given at the close of the year in May. "Christmas in Story and Song" was used at Shawsheen and the Ella E. Fleming School in December. The Ella E. Fleming School gave a public performance of the operetta, "Spring Fantasy" in May. The eighth grade was prepared and presented in a program of music at graduation in June.

Rhythm orchestras are attempted in all schools. The third grade at Foster School had a very excellent one.

Our schools average rather well according to standard. Due to various conditions over which the supervisor had no control some classes have lost good grading. It is expected that these will regain their lost standing before the end of the present school year.

The attitude and interest of the boys and girls is good. The faithfulness and cooperation of the teachers is excellent and gratifying. They make possible everything that is attempted and achieved.

I would like to express my sincere thanks to the teachers and the boys and girls for their cooperation. I am very grateful to Mr. Bean for his cooperation and interest.

Respectfully submitted,

ALICE L. STURTEVANT,

Music Supervisor

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF ART

During the year just passed, the usual seasonal work has been accomplished. Throughout these last months, emphasis has been placed on drawing as it relates to National and Civilian Defense, War Bond and Stamp sales, conservation and nutrition. The children made many charts, posters and drawings illustrating various phases of life on the 'home front.'

The grade schools have accomplished much more for the Red Cross.

The High School boys and girls planned and constructed some three hundred Christmas menu covers which were distributed to men on our Navy's fighting ships by the Lowell chapter of the Red Cross. These were more than appreciated, judging from a letter we received from Miss Robinson, director of Junior Red Cross Activity in Lowell. To quote Miss Robinson: "We are very proud and pleased to know that Tewksbury is entering into our Junior Red Cross program so wholeheartedly. The menus were so cleverly designed and neatly worked; it was a temptation not to keep many of them here in Lowell for exhibition purposes.'

I feel that the work accomplished during this busy year has been successful—the outside, 'service,' work particularly stimulating, and very much appreciated.

My gratitude to a very fine and interested teaching staff, whose co-operation has been invaluable!

Respectfully submitted,

MARY SHEA,

Supervisor.

REPORT OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

To the School Committee of the Town of Tewksbury:

The following is a brief summary of the health status in the School Department. There were fewer than the usual number of contagious diseases the past year, but the transportation problem has been a critical and troublesome one. The Government Bureau controlling this problem has clamped down upon the distance and gasoline that can be used by the buses. Their decision that children must walk if they live within a two mile limit of the school imposes uufair and hazardous conditions particularly for the small children. Your physician as well as the school committee have put this problem to the government officials in this district, but with no relief. The answer being that all cities and towns are following the same restrictions.

The usual examination of all school children has been carried out with the cooperation of the School Nurse and the results have been satisfactory. On account of the physician shortage, Miss Haines has found it more difficult to get hospital facilities for our tonsil cases, but has obtained unusually good results. One of our great difficulties is in stamping out Pediculosis. When notice is sent that these heads need attention, too many times the instructions are ignored or only partially carried out. We sincerely ask more cooperation in this matter.

HERBERT M. LARRABEE, M. D.

School Physician.

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

Mr. Stephen G. Bean
Superintendent of Schools
Tewksbury, Massachusetts.

Sir:

Like all other communities, Tewksbury has had its share of sickness and contagion this past year. Due to conditions over which there seems to be no control, the year has been a very hard and trying one; however, we have tried to keep astride of the times and meet the new problems as they have appeared.

We have carried on our regular physical examinations, vaccination and diphtheria clinics, home and school visitations, hospital clinics for examinations and correction of defects. We had an Audiometer test in June showing 8 children in the Foster and High schools with marked defective hearing. Owing to an epidemic of measles this test was not given at the Shawsheen School.

We have our first Infant and Pre-School well child clinic sponsored by the State Dept. of Health and carried on by the local Board of Health, January 12, 1944.

Respectfully submitted,

EDITH E. HAINES, R. N.

School Nurse

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC

To Mr. Stephen G. Bean and Members of the School Committee:

The results which have been attained in the short time I have supervised music in the High School of Tewksbury have been encouraging both to the students and myself. In fact I am hoping that the enthusiasm will carry through for next year in which case, I would like to have music touch each and every student of Tewksbury High. Now more than ever do we need courage, in order that we may survive in this great struggle for existence. I can think of no better way of giving this extra strength to our youth, both mentally and physically than through music. Music has enough variation so that it can provide for every type of individual need, the tendency in these days being music that is diverting, soothing or stimulating.

In the months to come the work has been planned in such a way that the Spring Concert will be the actual result of all our daily work. Our choice of songs lean mostly on the side of light Ballads, well known folk songs, and a combination of song and dance. The students and I promise a very delightful evening for those who will attend. This Music Festival of song and dance will be presented in May, 1944.

In closing, I wish to thank Mr. David Lynch, principal of the High School, and Miss Kay Chandler for their untiring spirit, of which they have so much to offer.

Respectfully submitted,

EVELYN MEKELATOS,

Music Supervisor.

ROSTER OF SCHOOL EMPLOYEES

as of

December 31, 1943

	Name	School or Dept.	Address
Act. Prin.	David Lynch	High	Tewksbury
Teachers	Kathryn Chandler	High—Comm.	Tewksbury
	Catherine Maguire	High—Fr. and Math.	Lowell
	Marjorie Stanley	High—Comm.	Lawrence
	Vera C. Allen (Mrs.)	High—Science	Tewksbury
	Joan Holt	High—English	Tewksbury
	Mary P. Keefe	High—Soc. Sc.	Tewksbury
	Marie B. L'Esperance	High—Home Ec.	Tewksbury
	Rita Sullivan	High—Eng. & Soc. Sc.	Lowell
	Lillian Schwartz	High—Latin and Math.	Tewksbury
Principal	Ethelyn Howard	Foster 8	Tewksbury
Teachers	Ruth Lyons (Mrs.)	Foster 7	Lowell
	Elizabeth Flynn	Foster 6	Chelmsford
	Marion Piper	Foster 5	Lowell
	Doris Blake	Foster 4	Wamesit
	Winifred Colbath (Mrs.)	Foster 3	Tewksbury
	Virginia Cunningham	Foster 2	Lowell
	Catherine Meloy	Foster 1	No. Tewksbury
Act. Prin.	Anne Washburne (Mrs.)	Shawsheen 7-8	Wilmington
	Grace Hobart (Mrs.)	Shawsheen 6-7	Lowell
	Josephine Hedstrom (Mrs.)	Shawsheen 5	Wilmington
	Dorothy O. Barry (Mrs.)	Shawsheen 4	Tewksbury
	Eileen Flynn	Shawsheen 3	Tewksbury
	Mary Katherina	Shawsheen 2	Tewksbury
	Louise F. Wood	Shawsheen 1	Stoneham
Principal	Eva L. Hersey	Ella Flemings 5-8	No. Tewks.
	Helle Generales	Ella Flemings 1-4	Lowell
Supervisors	Mary Shea	Drawing	Salem
	Alice Sturtevant (Mrs.)	Music Elementary	Lowell
	Evelyn Mekelatos	Music High	Lowell

Health	Herbert M. Larrabee, M. D.	Physician	Tewksbury
	Edith E. Haines, R. N.	Nurse	Tewksbury
Janitors	Homer Darby	High	Tewksbury
	Walter Lavelle	Foster	Tewksbury
	George Garland	Shawsheen	Tewksbury
	Bronslaw Kohanski	Ella Flemings No.	Tewksbury
Trans.	Austin French (For Rita Furtado)		Tewksbury
	Fred Garlick		Tewksbury
	Omer Blanchard	No.	Tewksbury
Supt.	Stephen G. Bean		Wilmington

SCHOOL CALENDAR 1944

January 3 to February 26—8 weeks

Vacation one week

March 6 to April 29—8 weeks

Vacation one week

May 8 to June 17—6 weeks—Elementary

May 8 to June 24—7 weeks—High School
(if 180 days of school)

Summer vacation—10 weeks

September 6 to December 23—16 weeks

Vacation one week

1945

January 2 to February 24—8 weeks

TOWN CENSUS

	5-7	7-14	14-15	16-21	
Boys	94	258	83	180	615
Girls	73	239	79	164	555
	167	497	162	344	1170

Respectfully submitted,

EDITH E. HAINES, R. N.

Census Taker.

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ALSO

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OF THE

Town of Tewksbury

For the Year Ending December 31,

1944

BALFE SERVICE CO., PRINTERS
430 BROADWAY
LOWELL, MASSACHUSETTS

Town of Tewksbury

LIST OF TOWN OFFICERS—1944

MODERATOR

MELVIN G. ROGERS

SELECTMEN

IRVING F. FRENCH, Chairman

BERNARD H. GREENE EDWARD J. SULLIVAN

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

EDWARD J. SULLIVAN, Chairman

IRVING F. FRENCH BERNARD H. GREENE

BOARD OF HEALTH

BERNARD H. GREENE, Chairman

EDWARD J. SULLIVAN IRVING F. FRENCH

ASSESSORS

BUZZELL KING, Chairman

AUSTIN F. FRENCH HARRY P. NASH

TOWN CLERK

ALICE A. PIKE

TREASURER

GEORGE A. MARSHALL

COLLECTOR OF TAXES

HARRY C. DAWSON

TOWN AUDITOR

ROBERT E. GAY

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

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DOROTHY FITZGERALD

LIBRARIAN

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CHESTER M. ROPER

SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

RICHARD F. O'NEILL

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SURVEYOR OF LUMBER

GEORGE K. JAMES

MEASURER OF WOOD

GEORGE K. JAMES

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

VICTOR N. CLUFF

FENCE VIEWERS

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WILLIAM A. SMITH
EDWIN M. THORENSON
GEORGE E. TOLSTRUP
JOHN A. TRULL

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UNDERTAKER AND AGENT FOR BURIAL INDIGENT SOLDIERS

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(Reg. Embalmer)

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ALDEN S. HAINES

DEPUTY FOREST FIRE WARDENS

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HORACE P. SWEET

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HARRIS M. BRIGGS WALTER ROBERTS

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ALDEN S. HAINES

APPRAISERS

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

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GEORGE K. JAMES

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(Term expires 1947)

SAMUEL CROWN — WINTHROP S. BEAN
ELMER OLSON — FRED A. DUGAU

(Term expires 1946)

WALTER R. ACKLES — KARL HEIDENRICH
WILLIAM H. BENNETT — ALLEN C. WILSON

(Term expires 1945)

PHILIP M. BATTLES — EVERETT H. KING, Sec'y
ALBERT GILLISSEN — MARK ROPER

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EDWIN W. OSTERMAN — H. LOUIS FARMER, JR.

DOG OFFICER

GERALD J. FINNERAN

CARETAKER OF SOLDIERS' LOT

WINTHROP S. JONES

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WARRANT FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Middlesex, ss:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town Affairs, to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury on Wednesday, February 2, 1944, at ten o'clock A. M., to act on the following articles:

ART. 1. To choose all necessary Town Officers, to choose by ballot a Moderator, Town Clerk, three Selectmen—one to serve one year, one to serve two years, one to serve three years; three members of the Board of Public Welfare—one to serve one year, one to serve two years, one to serve three years; three members of the Board of Health—one to serve one year, one to serve two years, one to serve three years; a Town Treasurer; an Auditor, a Collector of Taxes, a Tree Warden and three Constables, all to serve one year; one Highway Commissioner to serve three years; one member of the School Committee to serve three years; two Trustees of the Public Library to serve three years; one Park Commissioner to serve three years; one Assessor to serve three years; one Commissioner of Trust Fund to serve three years.

The polls for the election of Town Officers to be opened at ten o'clock A. M. and to be closed at 8 P. M.

And you are also hereby further required and directed to notify and warn the said inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, who are qualified to vote on elections and Town affairs, therein to assemble subsequently and meet in Town Meeting at the Town Hall in said Town of Tewksbury on Wednesday, February 9, 1944, at eight o'clock P. M., then and there to act on the following articles:

ART. 2. To hear reports of Town officers and committees and act thereon.

ART. 3. To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise by taxation to defray necessary expenses for the current year, and make appropriations for the same.

ART. 4. To see if the Town will vote the money arising from licensing dogs, for the ensuing year to aid in support of the Public Library.

ART. 5 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1944, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

VOTED: That the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1944, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ART. 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $350.00 for the proper observance of Memorial Day, and appoint a committee to expend the money. Said committee to be taken from members of Spanish War Veterans, American Legion, or Sons of Veterans.

ART. 7. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to institute suits on behalf of the Town or defend any suits that are, or may be brought against the Town, and to sign any contracts or agreements in behalf of the Town.

ART. 8. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $1,142.72 to pay the County of Middlesex, as required by law, the Town's share of the net cost of the care, maintenance, and repair of the Middlesex County Tuberculosis

Hospital, as assessed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 111 of the General Laws and Acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto including Chapter 400, Section 25 G (6) (a) of the Acts of 1936 or take any action in relation thereto.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen and the Treasurer to foreclose either through the Land Court or by affidavit of the Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation, any Tax Title held by the Town for more than two years, and to see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate therefor or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding $400 for repairs to and maintenance of the athletic field and structures thereon at the High School and for the maintenance of athletics at the High School.

ART. 11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell, after first giving notice of the time and place of sale by posting such notice of sale in some convenient and public place in the town fourteen days at least before the sale, property taken by the town under tax title procedure provided that the selectmen or whomsoever they may authorize to hold such public auction may reject any bid which they deem inadequate, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 12. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Board of Selectmen to sell any parcel or parcels of land acquired by the Town through Tax Title foreclosure proceedings whose Tax Title value is less than $75.00. for whatever sum it may be in their judgment to the best interest of the Town, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 13. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Road Machinery Fund and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing, repairing and operating road machinery; to which fund shall be accredited—in addition to the sum appropriated—such sums as may be allotted for the use of town-owned highway equipment operated for highway purposes in conjunction with the State and County, or take any other action thereto.

ART. 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2000. for the Maintenance of Chapter 90, Highways: said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 15. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to gravel and otherwise repair Robinson Avenue, which has been accepted by the Town by vote of a previous town meeting; and furthermore to have the Road Commissioners and Board of Selectmen show cause if any why this thoroughfare should not be repaired and maintained whether an appropriation is made under this article or not.

ART. 16. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer to discharge the Tax Titles on Real Estate in said Town which appear to be of doubtful validity and on which it appears the Town has no claim or interest as follows:

1. Jesse E. Kemp, Trull Street land and buildings, 12 acres, described in a deed, recorded November 28, 1923 Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 699, Page 324.

2. Annie E. Hurley, Lot 35, Clatur Plan, described in a deed, recorded November 28, 1923 Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 699, Page 20.

ART. 17. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $1,000.00, said sum to be used to continue the school lunch program, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 18. To see if the Town will make the following addition to its by-laws:

At least ten days before the annual business meeting of the Town, the Board of Selectmen, the Board of Public Welfare, the Board of Health, the Assessors, the Town Clerk, Collector of Taxes, the School Board, Town Auditor, Chief of Police, Chief of the Fire Department, Tree Warden, and the heads of other town departments shall submit in writing to the Secretary of the Finance Committee an estimate of the prospective expenditures of his or their respective

departments. Such estimates shall contain a breakdown of the principal items of proposed expenditures, including wages, salaries, equipment, supplies and such other items as may be deemed advisable by the department.

If the estimate for wages or salaries includes compensation for employment additional to the employment for the previous year, or any reduction or increase of salary or wages is contemplated, such estimates shall state the work contemplated to be performed by such additional employees, and the reduction or increase in compensation of any employee or officer of the department shall be stated in the estimate.

Unless such estimates are submitted at the time and in the form provided, no appropriation in excess of the appropriation for the previous year of the department failing to file the estimates as above provided shall be made at the annual town meeting.

Upon request of the Chairman of the Finance Committee such officials and heads of the above named departments shall appear before the Finance Committee to explain the reasons for their respective estimates.

ART. 19. To see if the Town will vote that all Motor Vehicles, owned by the Town of Tewksbury, shall be lettered with the name of the Department to which the vehicle belongs, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 20. To see if the Town will vote to abolish the Finance Committee or take any other action.

ART. 21. To see if the Town will vote that beginning with the Annual Town Meeting in February, 1945; the Annual Town Meeting be held on the first Wednesday in February at eight o'clock P. M. And, that any article may be acted upon, except Article One, the election of Town Officers by ballot, which shall be acted upon on the following Wednesday at ten o'clock A. M., at which time the polls will be opened, and will remain open until eight o'clock P. M. of the same day.

ART. 22. To see if the Town will vote to furnish the telephone for the Collector of Taxes, and authorize the expenditure for same to be paid from the appropriation for Collection of Taxes, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 23. To see if the Town will vote to set the salary for the Collector of Taxes, at $2,500. for 1944, and to raise and appropriate that amount for said purpose, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $300. for clerical services in the office of the Town Treasurer for the year of 1944 or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 25. To see if the voters will instruct the Selectmen to demand that the Trustees of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Company adjust the zone fare rates in Tewksbury so that each zone will call for a 5c rate as is now in effect in other towns on the Lowell Everett route.

ART. 26. Also to see if the voters will instruct the Selectmen, in case the Trustees do not voluntarily adjust the rates as before mentioned, to demand a hearing before the Board of Trustees or take any other action in regards to the operation of Eastern Massachusetts buses in Tewksbury.

ART. 27. To see if the Town will vote to raze the house adjoining the town hall and owned by the town, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $50.00 in support of the Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture, through the Middlesex County Extension Service, said money to be spent under the direction of the local director or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 29. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for necessary expenses of the Civilian Defense Committee, or take any other action thereto.

ART. 30. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for a reserve fund under Section 6 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws or take any other action thereto.

ART. 31. To see if the Town will vote to increase the salary of the Inspector of Slaughtering $200.00 per year or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 32. To see what salary or rate of compensation the Town will vote to pay the Assessors, and Tree Warden, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 33. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropropriate or transfer from available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the purchase of war bonds or other bonds that are legal investments for savings bank, in order to establish a post-war rehabilitation fund, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 5, Acts of 1943.

ART. 34. To see if the Town will amend the by-laws of the Town relating to the time of holding the Annual Town Meeting by striking out such by-laws and substituting the following:

The annual election of Town Officers shall be held on the first Wednesday in February. Polls shall be open from 12 noon to 8:00 P. M. All other business shall be transacted on the second Wednesday in February, commencing at 7:30 P. M., or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 35. To see if the Town will vote to finish grading and widening Marston Street from Whipple Road to Rogers Street, make appropriation for same or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 36. To see if the Town will vote to pay the Town Clerk $1,000. per year, or take any action on same.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and leave one hundred copies for the use of the citizens at the Post Office in said Town, 8 days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid:—

Given under our hands, this 15th day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and forty-four.

IRVING F. FRENCH,
BERNARD H. GREENE,
EDWARD J. SULLIVAN.
} Selectmen of Tewksbury

A true copy attest:

CYRIL L. BARKER,

Constable of Tewksbury

Saturday January 22, 1944.

February 2, 1944.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Middlesex ss.

I have served the within Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and by leaving one hundred (100) copies for the use of the Citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, eight days at least and over two Sundays, before time of holding said Meeting.

CYRIL L. BARKER,

Constable of Tewksbury.

Filed at Town Clerk's office
10 o'clock A. M. February 2, 1944.

A true copy. Attest:

ALICE A. PIKE,

Town Clerk.

ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION

Town Hall, Tewksbury, Massachusetts, February 2, 1944

Middlesex ss.

At a meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury qualified to vote in Town Affairs, held this day, at the Town Hall, the following business was transacted. The Warrant was read by the presiding Election Officer, Irving F. French. Mr. French then administered the oath of Office to the following tellers: William H. McGowan, Anna E. McPhillips, Arthur W. Wells, William I. Bailey, Harry A. Treadwell and Rose J. Furtado. The Town Clerk was given a receipt for 1650 ballots. Registrar showed 0000 on the Ballot Box, check lists were in order and the Polls were opened at Ten o'clock A.M. The Polls were officially closed at Eight o'clock P.M. with the register showing 1043 names checked as having voted, which number agreed with ballots counted.
Following is official result of count.

Selectman for Three Years

Irving F. French	742 votes	Elected and sworn
William Noll	1 vote	
George J. McCoy	1 vote	
William McGowan	1 vote	
Blanks	298	

Selectman for Two Years

Victor N. Cluff	446 votes	
Bernard H. Greene	471 votes	Elected and sworn
Blanks	126	

Selectmen for One Year

Duncan J. Cameron	465 votes	
Edward J. Sullivan	547 votes	Elected and sworn
Blanks	31	

Board of Public Welfare Three Years

Irving F. French	744 votes	Elected and sworn
Jacob Noll	1 vote	
William McGowan	1 vote	
Blanks	297	

Board of Public Welfare Two Years

Victor N. Cluff	442 votes	
Bernard H. Greene	466 votes	Elected and sworn
E. J. Sullivan	1 vote	
Blanks	134	

Board of Public Welfare for One Year

Duncan J. Cameron	456 votes	
Edward J. Sullivan	546 votes	Elected and sworn
Blanks	41	

Board of Health Three Years

Irving F. French	736 votes	Elected and sworn
Jacob Noll	1 vote	
William McGowan	1 vote	
Blanks	305	

Board of Health Two Years

Victor N. Cluff	442 votes	
Bernard H. Greene	463 votes	Elected and sworn
Blanks	138	

Board of Health for One Year

Duncan J. Cameron	454 votes	
Edward J. Sullivan	546 votes	Elected and sworn
Blanks	43	

Assessor for Three Years

Austin F. French	781 votes	Elected and sworn
William McGowan	1 vote	
Blanks	261	

Clerk for One Year

Alice A. Pike	869 votes	Elected and sworn
George Gale	1 vote	
Blanks	173	

Treasurer for One Year

George A. Marshall	857 votes	Elected and sworn
James Crosby	1 vote	
Blanks	185	

Auditor for One Year

Robert E. Gay	810 votes	Elected and sworn
Blanks	233	

Moderator for One Year

Melvin G. Rogers	815 votes	Elected and sworn
George Gale	1 vote	
Blanks	227	

Tax Collector for One Year

Harry C. Dawson	825 votes	Elected and sworn
William McGowan	1 vote	
Blanks	217	

Tree Warden for One Year

Harris M. Briggs	826 votes	Elected and sworn
George Gale	1 vote	
Nelson Brown	1 vote	
Blanks	215	

Trust Fund Commissioner for Three Years

Frederick M. Carter	778 votes	Elected and sworn
Blanks	265	

Constables for One Year

Cyril L. Barker	736 votes	Elected and sworn
Lauchie McPhail	785 votes	Elected and sworn
Jeremiah J. Houlihan	765 votes	Elected and sworn
Henry Morris	2 votes	
Victor N. Cluff	1 vote	
Geo. Hazel	1 vote	
Raymond Zambeck	1 vote	
M. Shanley	1 vote	
Price	1 vote	
Blanks	835	

Highway Commissioner for Three Years

Thomas P. Sawyer	804 votes	Elected and sworn
Blanks	239	

School Committee for Three Years

J. Harper Gale	548 votes	Elected and sworn
William J. O'Neill	435 votes	
Blanks	60	

Trustees Public Library for Three Years

Marian E. French	769 votes	Elected and sworn
Harry Priestley	692 votes	Elected and sworn
Blanks	623 votes	
Joseph A. Curtin	1 vote	
V. N. Cluff	1 vote	

Park Commissioner for Three Years

Thomas C. McCausland	809 votes	Elected and sworn
William McGowan	1 vote	
Barker	1 vote	
Blanks	232	

Meeting adjourned at 11 o'clock P.M.

A true record. Attest:

ALICE A. PIKE,

Town Clerk.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Town Hall, Tewksbury, Massachusetts

February 9, 1944

At a Meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town Affairs, held this day, at the Town Hall, Tewksbury, Massachusetts, the following business was transacted:—

The Meeting was called to order by Moderator Melvin G. Rogers at Eight o'clock P.M. and a necessary quorum not being present a recess of ten minutes was called. On a second count the necessary number for a quorum was found to be present and the meeting was opened by a prayer offered by Rev. Fr. Joseph Curtin, O.M.I., pastor of Saint Williams Church, Tewksbury, Mass.

ART. 1. (Acted on at the Meeting held February 2, 1944).

ART. 2. All reports of Town Officers and Committees accepted.

ART. 3. VOTED: To lay on the table.

ART. 4. VOTED: That money arising from licensing dogs for the ensuing year be used in support of the Public Library.

ART. 5. VOTED: That the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1944, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ART. 6. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $350.00 for the proper observance of Memorial Day and that the Moderator appoint a committee to expend the money. Said committee to be taken from members of Spanish War Veterans, American Legion, or Sons of Veterans.

ART. 7. VOTED: That the Selectmen are hereby authorized to institute suits on behalf of the Town or defend any suits that are,

or may be brought against the Town, and to sign any contracts, or agreements in behalf of the Town.

ART. 8. VOTED: To appropriate the sum of $1,142.72 to pay the County of Middlesex, as required by law, the Town's share of the net cost of the care, maintenance, and repair of the Middlesex County Tuberculosis Hospital, as assessed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 111 of the General Laws and Acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto including Chapter 400, Section 23 G (6) (a) of the Acts of 1936.

ART. 9. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $300 for the purposes outlined in this article.

ART. 10. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $400 for repairs to and maintenance of the athletic field and structures thereon at the High School and for the maintenance of athletics at the High School.

ART. 11. VOTED: That this article be accepted.

ART. 12. VOTED: That this article be accepted.

ART. 13. VOTED: That the Town establish a Highway Machinery Fund and appropriate the sum of $5,000 for the year 1944, from which fund the Highway Commissioners are hereby authorized to purchase, when in their judgment it becomes necessary, whatever new equipment, or trucks the said Commissioners deem expedient, the same being consistent with the amount of money appropriated, and to pay from said fund costs arising from repair and maintenance of equipment used in the usual operation of Highway Department. It is further moved that all money allotted to the Town for the use of Town owned equipment working in conjunction with the State and County, be set aside under a separate Highway Machinery Fund, from which fund there may be appropriated in the year 1945, the sum to be spent for maintenance and renewal of highway equipment in said 1945.

ART. 14. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $2000 for the Maintenance of Chapter 90, Highways: said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose.

ART. 15. VOTED: That this article be referred to the Highway Commissioners.

Moved and seconded that Article 36 be taken up here.

ART. 36. VOTED: To pay the Town Clerk $1000 per year.

Moved and seconded that Article 23 be taken up here.

ART. 23. VOTED: To pay the Tax Collector $2500 for 1944.

Moved and seconded that Article 24 be taken up here.

ART. 24. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $300 for Clerical Services in the office of the Town Treasurer for the year 1944.

ART. 16. VOTED: That this Article be accepted.

ART. 17. VOTED: That $1000 be taken from W.P.A. balance, the balance to revert to the town treasury closing account.

ART. 18. VOTED: That the Town make the following addition to its by-laws:

At least ten days before the annual business meeting of the Town, the Board of Selectmen, the Board of Public Welfare, the Board of Health, the Assessors, the Town Clerk, Collector of Taxes, the School Board, Town Auditor, Chief of Police, Chief of the Fire Department, Tree Warden, and the heads of other town departments shall submit in writing to the Secretary of the Finance Committee an estimate of the prospective expenditures of this or their respective departments. Such estimates shall contain a breakdown of the principal items of proposed expenditures, including wages, salaries, equipment, supplies and such other items as may be deemed advisable by the department.

If the estimate for wages or salaries includes compensation for employment additional to the employment for the previous year, or any reduction or increase of salary or wages is contemplated such estimates shall state the work contemplated to be performed by such additional employees, and the reduction or increase in compensation of any employees, and the reduction or increase in compensation of any employee or officer of the department shall be stated in the estimate.

Unless such estimates are submitted at the time and in the form provided, no appropriation in excess of the appropriation for the previous year of the department failing to file the estimates as above provided shall be made at the annual town meeting.

Upon request of the Chairman of the Finance Committee such officials and heads of the above named departments shall appear before the Finance Committee to explain the reasons for their respective estimates.

At this time Irving F. French and Bernard H. Greene were sworn in as Tellers by the Moderator and a count was taken to determine the vote under Article 18. 137 were found to be in favor and none opposed.

ART. 19. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone.

ART. 20. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone.

ART. 21. VOTED: To indefinitely postpone.

ART. 22. VOTED: To furnish the telephone for the Collector of Taxes, the expenditure for same to be paid from the appropriation for Collection of Taxes.

ART. 25. VOTED: That the Board of Selectmen be instructed to demand that the Trustees of the Eastern Mass. Railway adjust the Bus Fares as they apply in the Town of Tewksbury to include the following changes.

1. Eliminate the Pike Street Zone and the Zone at Carter's.

2. Adjust the Zone fares as follows.
   a. Tewksbury-Wilmington line to Tewksbury Center the fare shall be 5c
   b. Tewksbury Center to the Tewksbury-Lowell line the fare shall be 5c

3. Other fares.
   a. Tewksbury Center to Kearney Square the cash fare shall be 10c
   b. Tewksbury Center to Church St. Wilmington the cash fare shall be 10c
   c. The cash fare between the Tewksbury-Wilmington line and the Tewksbury-Lowell line shall be 10c
   d. The cash fare between the Tewksbury-Wilmington and the Kearney Square shall be 15c
   e. The cash fare between the Tewksbury-Lowell line and Church Street Wilmington shall be 15c

4. Adjust the ticket fares so that there will be a saving effected for all regular users on fares of 10c or over.

   Also that the Board of Selectmen be further instructed that if the Railroad Trustees do not act favorably that they petition the State Legislature when they next come into Session.

ART. 26. VOTED: That the Selectmen, in case the Trustees do not voluntarily adjust the rates as before mentioned in Art. 25, do demand a hearing before the Board of Trustees in regards to the operation of Eastern Massachusetts buses in Tewksbury.

ART. 27. VOTED: That this article be referred to the Selectmen with the authority to raze.

ART. 28. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $50 in support of the Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture through the Middlesex County Extension Service, said money to be spent under the direction of the local director.

ART. 29. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $375 for necessary expenses of the Civilian Defense Committee.

ART. 30. VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of $5000 for a reserve fund under Section 6 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws.

ART. 31. VOTED: To lay on the table and take up under Art. 3.

ART. 32. VOTED: To pay the Assessors $5.00 per day and the Tree Warden $6.00 per day, from respective appropriations.

ART. 33. VOTED: To invest $15,000 in war bonds or other bonds that are legal investments for savings bank, in order to establish a post-war rehabilitation fund, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 5, Acts of 1943.

ART. 34. VOTED: To amend the by-laws of the Town relating to the time of holding the Annual Town Meeting by striking out such by-laws and substituting the following:

"The annual election of Town Officers shall be held on the fourth Wednesday in February. Polls shall be open from 10 A.M. to 8 P.M. All other business shall be transacted on the third Wednesday in February, commencing at 7.30 P.M."

Count of votes in favor 64 and opposed 5 as reported by the Tellers.

ART. 35. VOTED: To refer to the Road Commissioners.

Motion was made and seconded that Article 3 be taken from the table at this time.

ART. 3. VOTED: To set aside $10,000 from free cash or surplus balances to reduce the tax rate.

To raise and appropriate the following sums:

Street Lighting	$ 6,300.00
Incidentals	1,300.00
Highways	17,000.00
Schools	70,156.00
Library—In addition to dog tax	1,300.00
Police	12,821.00
Teller's count showed 81 in favor 8 opposed ($650 to be allowed towards a new machine and $40 for a new radio).	
Stationery and Printing	1,200.00
Board of Health	3,000.00
Park Commission	300.00
Tree Warden	1,500.00
Fire Department	10,330.00
Department of Public Welfare	6,000.00
Aid to Dependent children (plus Federal grants)	4,500.00
Bureau of Old Age Assist. (plus Federal grants)	18,500.00
Town Hall	4,650.00
Assessors	3,300.00
Vocational Schools	1,000.00
Inspection of Meat and Animals	900.00
Aid, State and Military	2,000.00
Interest on Loans	600.00
Collection of Taxes	1,000.00
Municipal Insurance	1,500.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	225.00
Dog Officer	200.00
Maintenance, Legion Headquarters	125.00
Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths	1,500.00
Board of Registrars	600.00

SALARY ACCOUNT

Auditor	1,000.00
Town Clerk (exclusive of all fees)	1,000.00
Tax Collector	2,500.00
Selectmen	1,100.00

Road Commissioners	400.00
School Committee	225.00
Election Officers	200.00
Treasurer	2,000.00

At the suggestion of Mr. George A. Marshall the voters paid a tribute to the memory of the late Louis Oliver Berube by standing in silence a few minutes during the business meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 11.30 P.M.

A true record. Attest:

ALICE A. PIKE,

Town Clerk.

Addition and Amendment to By-Laws.

ART. 18. VOTED: At least ten days before the annual business meeting of the Town, the Board of Selectmen, the Board of Public Welfare, the Board of Health, the Assessors, the Town Clerk, Collector of Taxes, the School Board, Town Auditor, Chief of Police, Chief of the Fire Department, Tree Warden, and the heads of other town departments shall submit in writing to the Secretary of the Finance Committee an estimate of the prospective expenditures of his or their respective departments. Such estimates shall contain a breakdown of the principal items of proposed expenditures, including wages, salaries, equipment, supplies and such other items as may be deemed advisable by the department.

If the estimate for wages or salaries includes compensation for employment additional to the employment for the previous year, or any reduction or increase of salary or wages is contemplated, such estimates shall state the work contemplated to be performed by such additional employees, and the reduction or increase in compensation of any employee or officer of the department shall be stated in the estimate.

Unless such estimates are submitted at the time and in the form provided, no appropriation in excess of the appropriation for the previous year of the department failing to file the estimates as above provided shall be made at the annual town meeting.

Upon request of the Chairman of the Finance Committee such officials and heads of the above named departments shall appear before the Finance Committee to explain the reasons for their respective estimates".

ART. 34. VOTED: The annual election of Town Officers be held on the fourth Wednesday in February. Polls shall be open from 10 A.M. to 8 P.M. All other business shall be transacted on the third Wednesday in February, commencing at 7.30 P.M.

Boston, Mass.
February 21, 1944.

The foregoing addition and amendment to by-laws are hereby approved.

ROBERT T. BUSHELL,

Attorney General.

A true copy. Attest:

ALICE A. PIKE,

Town Clerk.

TOWN WARRANT FOR PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex ss

To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town affairs, to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury, on Tuesday, the 25th Day of April, 1944, at twelve o'clock M. for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Election of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

7 DELEGATES at LARGE to the National Convention of the Republican Party.

7 Alternate DELEGATES at LARGE to the National Convention of the Republican Party.

12 DELEGATES at LARGE to the National Convention of the Democratic Party.

12 Alternate DELEGATES at LARGE to the National Convention of the Democratic Party.

2 DISTRICT DELEGATES to the National Convention of the Republican Party, 5th Congressional District.

2 Alternate DISTRICT DELEGATES to the National Convention of the Republican Party, 5th Congressional District.

4 DISTRICT DELEGATES to the National Convention of the Democratic Party, 5th Congressional District.

4 Alternate DISTRICT DELEGATES to the National Convention of the Democratic Party, 5th Congressional District.

DISTRICT MEMBERS OF STATE COMMITTEE—(One Man and One Woman) for each political party for the 7th Senatorial District.

15 MEMBERS OF THE REPUBLICAN TOWN COMMITTEE.

10 MEMBERS OF THE DEMOCRATIC TOWN COMMITTEE.

The Polls will be open from 12 M. to 8 P.M.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid:

Given under our hands this 5th day of April, A.D. 1944.

IRVING F. FRENCH,
BERNARD H. GREENE,
EDWARD J. SULLIVAN

Selectmen of Tewksbury.

A true copy:
Attest:

CYRIL L. BARKER, Constable.

Saturday, April 15, 1944.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Middlesex ss

I have served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices and by leaving 100 copies for the use of the Citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, eight days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said meeting.

CYRIL L. BARKER,
Constable of Tewksbury.

Filed at the Town Clerk's Office at 12 o'clock noon April 25, 1944.

A true copy. Attest:

ALICE A. PIKE, Town Clerk.

PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY

Town Hall, Tewksbury, Massachusetts, April 25, 1944.

At a meeting of the inhabitants qualified to vote in primary elections, held this day, the following business was transacted. Polls opened at twelve o'clock noon with Thomas F. Sullivan, Anna McPhillips, Jesse French, William H. McGowan, Malcolm Buchanan and Harry A. Treadwell sworn in as Tellers. Register on Ballot Box showed 00000. Polls closed at eight o'clock P.M. and register showed 52 which checked with voting list. There were 37 Republican votes cast and 15 Democratic votes. The result of count follows:

REPUBLICAN PARTY

Delegates at Large.

Leverett Saltonstall, 240 Chestnut Hill Road, Newton	35	Votes
Joseph W. Martin, Jr., 54 Grove Street, No. Attleborough	33	Votes
Sinclair Weeks, 97 Valentine St., Newton	34	Votes
Louise M. Williams, 3 Dean Street, Taunton	31	Votes
George B. Rowell, 25 Fresh Pond Lane, Cambridge	31	Votes
Margaret A. Green, 84 Park Slope, Holyoke	30	Votes
George F. Booth, 64 Beechmont Street, Worcester	31	Votes
	34	Blanks

Alternate Delegates.

Katherine G. Howard, 186 Summer Avenue, Reading	31	Votes
Laurence Curtis, 15 River Street, Boston	31	Votes
Doris M. A. Kundig, 46A Elm Street, Worcester	31	Votes
Rosa M. Levis, 30 Bellevue Street, Boston	29	Votes
Horace E. Handford, 26 Rotch Street, New Bedford	29	Votes
Carolyn L. Purcell, 465 Park Drive, Boston	29	Votes
J. Edward Lajoie, 423 Middle Street, Fall River	28	Votes
	51	Blanks

District Delegates and Alternate District Delegates to National Convention 5th District.

Delegates.

Harris, S. Richardson, 15 Mount Pleasant Street, Winchester	34	Votes
Thomas A. Pappas, 23 Long Avenue, Belmont	31	Votes
	9	Blanks

Alternate Delegates.

Minerva C. Farrow, 198 Highland Avenue, Arlington	32	Votes
Royal Shawcross, 40 Newfield Street, Chelmsford	32	Votes
	10	Blanks

State Committee. 7th Middlesex District.

George E. MacNeil, Jr., 23 Middlesex Rd., Stoneham	30	Votes
	7	Blanks
Marion R. Symonds, 170 Bancroft Avenue, Reading	27	Votes
	10	Blanks

Town Committee.

Herbert L. Trull, Andover St.	16	Votes
H. Louis Farmer, Lee St.	15	Votes
J. Arthur Trull, River Rd.	14	Votes
Alice A. Pike, Main St.	14	Votes
Harold Carson, North St.	13	Votes
Philip Battles, North St.	13	Votes
Edwin Osterman, Billerica Rd.	11	Votes
George A. Marshall, Summer St.	9	Votes
Roy D. Pennock, Trull Rd.	9	Votes
Evelyn Whitehead, Whipple Rd.	8	Votes
Melvin C. Rogers, Whipple Rd.	7	Votes
Anna Young, South St.	6	Votes
Maude Griffin, Cross St.	5	Votes
Bertha Benner, South St.	4	Votes
Harris M. Briggs, East St.	3	Votes
Irving F. French, Whipple Rd.	2	Votes
Frederick M. Carter, Pleasant St.	2	Votes
Mark Roper, Pleasant St.	2	Votes
J. Harper Gale, Helvetia St.	1	Vote
Winthrop Bean, Main St.	1	Vote
Homer Darby, East St.	1	Vote
George E. MacNeil	1	Vote
William Smith, Marshall St.	1	Vote
Ralph Battles, North St.	1	Vote
Harry Treadwell, Summer St.	1	Vote
Duncan Cameron, Andover St.	1	Vote
	209	Blanks

DEMOCRATIC PARTY

Delegates at Large.

David I. Walsh, 37 Day St., Fitchburg	10	Votes
William J. Foley, 388 West Fourth St., Boston	8	Votes
Joseph E. Casey, 295 Church St., Clinton	8	Votes
James M. Curley, 350 Jamaicaway, Boston	10	Votes
William H. Burke, Jr., 211 State St., Northampton	7	Votes
Frank W. Tomasello, 36 Alteresko Ave., Boston	8	Votes
John W. McCormack, 726 Columbia Rd., Boston	7	Votes
Maurice J. Tobin, 30 Hopkins Rd., Boston	8	Votes

Joseph B. Ely, 66 Broad St., Westfield ..... 10 Votes
Margaret M. O'Riordan, 4 Arborway, Boston ..... 8 Votes
Charles F. Hurley, 56 Fresh Pond Lane, Boston ..... 9 Votes
Mathias LaPierre, 216 Seventh St., Leominster ..... 7 Votes
80 Blanks

Alternate Delegates.

Elizabeth L. McNamara, 239 Upland Rd., Cambridge ..... 10 Votes
John Zielinski, 473 Hillside Ave., Holyoke ..... 9 Votes
Joseph K. Zemaitis, 42 Providence St., Worcester ..... 10 Votes
Joseph M. McDonough, 106 Melville Ave., Boston ..... 11 Votes
Samuel Michelman, 36 Butler Place, Northampton ..... 9 Votes
Charles Kaplan, 102 Columbia Rd., Boston ..... 10 Votes
Mary Maliotis, 272 Foster St., Boston ..... 9 Votes
Paul V. McDonough, 254 French St., Fall River ..... 10 Votes
Clementina Langone, 190 North St., Boston ..... 9 Votes
Silas F. Taylor, 8 Warwick St., Boston ..... 9 Votes
Bernard J. Killion, 62 Boylston St., Boston ..... 9 Votes
Catherine E. Hanifin, So. Main St., Belchertown ..... 10 Votes
65 Blanks

District Delegates and Alternate District Delegates to National Convention 5th District.

Delegates.

Edward P. Gilgun, 112 Garfield Av., Woburn ..... 9 Votes
William C. Geary, 56 Butterfield St., Lowell ..... 12 Votes
Joseph J. Sweeney, 27 Court St., Lowell ..... 12 Votes
Daniel O'Dea, 109 Glenwood St., Lowell ..... 10 Votes
23 Blanks

Alternate Delegates.

Walter H. Wilcox, 6 Eaton Ave., Woburn ..... 7 Votes
Meyer Lipchitz, 106 Fairmont St., Lowell ..... 8 Votes
Dennis A. Heslin, 12 Burns St., Lowell ..... 9 Votes
Alice D. Sullivan, 122 Russell Ave., Watertown ..... 8 Votes
28 Blanks

Not Grouped Delegates.

Gerald F. Cronin, 344 Varnum Ave., Lowell ..... 5 Votes
12 Blanks

State Committee 7th Middlesex District.

Frank A. Cassidy, 12 Oak St., Lowell ..... 6 Votes
9 Blanks

Mamie Dugau, Chandler St., Tewksbury ..... 1 Vote
14 Blanks

Town Committee.

William McGowan, Pleasant St.	4	Votes
John Kelley, East St.	3	Votes
Howard King, North St.	4	Votes
Edward Walsh, Rogers St.	2	Votes
Herbert Fairbrother, Chandler St.	2	Votes
Leo Bonugli, South St.	2	Votes
Fred Meloy, Andover St.	2	Votes
John Belton, Main St.	2	Votes
Charles Broe, Livingston St.	2	Votes
Patrick Canavan, Chandler St.	2	Votes
Arthur Fairgrieve, Main St.	2	Votes
Robert Martin, Andover St.	1	Vote
Thomas Sullivan, Main St.	1	Vote
	121	Blanks

A true record. Attest:

ALICE A. PIKE, Town Clerk.

TOWN WARRANT FOR STATE PRIMARY

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex ss:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Primaries to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury, on Tuesday, the 11th Day of July, 1944, at twelve o'clock M. for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

Governor, for this Commonwealth.
Lieutenant Governor, for this Commonwealth.
Secretary of the Commonwealth, for this Commonwealth.
Treasurer and Receiver General, for this Commonwealth.
Auditor of the Commonwealth, for this Commonwealth.
Attorney General, for this Commonwealth.
Senator in Congress (to fill vacancy), for this Commonwealth.
Representative in Congress, for 5th Congressional District.
Councillor, for 6th Councillor District.
Senator, 7th Middlesex Senatorial District.
Representative in General Court, for 19th Representative District.
County Commissioners (2)—except Nantucket & Suffolk Counties, for Middlesex County.
Sheriff, for Middlesex County.

VACANCIES—In Middlesex County—A County Commissioner.

The Polls will be open from 12 M. to 8 P.M.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid:

Given under our hands this 1st day of July, A.D. 1944.

IRVING F. FRENCH,
BERNARD H. GREENE
EDWARD J. SULLIVAN

Selectmen of Tewksbury.

A true copy: Attest:

CYRIL L. BARKER, Constable.

Tewksbury, Massachusetts, July 11, 1944.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Middlesex ss.

I have served the within warrant by posting up Attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and by leaving 100 copies for the use of the Citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, eight days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said meeting.

Constable of Tewksbury,

(Signed) CYRIL L. BARKER.

A true copy. Attest

ALICE A. PIKE, Town Clerk.

Tewksbury, Mass., July 11, 1944

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex ss.

At a Meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in State Primaries, held this day in the Town Hall, the following business was transacted. Polls opened at noon (12 o'clock) with Thomas F. Sullivan, Jesse J. French, Anna E. McPhillips, Malcolm D. Buchanan, William H. McGowan, and Harry A. Treadwell sworn as Tellers. Register showed 00000. Polls closed at 8 P.M. with register showing 392 which checked with the check lists. 352 Republican ballots and 40 Democratic ballots were cast. Following is the result of the count.

REPUBLICAN PARTY

Governor

Horace T. Cahill	275
Blanks	77

Lieutenant Governor

Robert F. Bradford	259
Jarvis Hunt	14
Rudolph F. King	28
Daniel E. McLean	4
William H. McMasters	9
Blanks	38

Secretary

Frederick W. Cook	313
Blanks	39

Treasurer

Fred J. Burrell	185
Laurence Curtis	112
Blanks	55

Auditor

Frank A. Goodwin	172
Wallace E. Stearns	38
Russell A. Wood	102
Blanks	40

Attorney General

Clarence A. Barnes	192
Charles Fairhurst	23
James E. Farley	85
Blanks	52

Senator in Congress

Leverett Saltonstall	313
Blanks	39

Congressman 5th Dist.

Edith Nourse Rogers	325
Blanks	27

Councillor 6th Dist.

Anthony H. Elwell	41
Victor A. Friend	82
William S. Howe	70
Arthur J. Mansfield	52
David Y. Ross	18
Blanks	89

Senator 7th Middlesex Dist.

Arthur W. Coolidge	295
Blanks	57

Representative General Court 19th Middlesex Dist.

Maurice J. De Mone	36
Alfred E. Dufour	5
Everett B. Fox	80
Walter A. Raney	6
Leo C. Roth	48
Harold E. Tivey	131
Blanks	46

County Commissioners Middlesex County—Vote for 2

Nathaniel I. Bowditch	206
William Andrew	65
John Frederick Cahill	63
Robert D. Donaldson	174
Ralph L. Garrett	14
J. Walten Tuttle	49
Blanks	133

Sheriff Middlesex County

Joseph M. McElroy	273
Blanks	79

County Commissioner Middlesex County to fill vacancy

Robert H. Adams	6
William B. Bailey	2
Francis D. Collings	0
Harold M. Estabrook	4
James G. Harris	3
Samuel Ingram	16
William M. Robinson	0
Melvin G. Rogers	318
Blanks	3

DEMOCRATIC PARTY

Governor

Francis X. Hurley	14
Maurice J. Tobin	20
Blanks	0

Lieutenant Governor

John B. Carr	8
Alfred P. Farese	1
Alexander F. Sullivan	12
John S. Sullivan	14
Blanks	5

Secretary

John M. Bresnahan	19
Margaret M. O'Riordan	17
Blanks	4

Treasurer

John E. Hurley	24
Francis McKenna	3
Michael A. O'Leary	2
John F. Welch	4
Blanks	7

Auditor

Thomas J. Buckley	32
Blanks	8

Attorney General

John H. Backus	4
Francis Harrigan	8
Francis E. Kelly	14
Joseph M. McDonough	9
Blanks	5

Senator in Congress

John H. Corcoran	20
Joseph A. Langone, Jr.	1
Joseph Lee	4
Richard M. Russell	8
Blanks	7

Congressman 5th Dist.

Milton A. Wesson	29
Blanks	11

Councillor 6th Dist.

Joseph M. Curley	30
Blanks	10

Senator 7th Middlesex Dist.

Blanks	40

Representative General Court 19th Middlesex Dist.

Thomas F. Murphy	28
Blanks	12

County Commissioner Middlesex County—Vote for 2

Thomas B. Brennan	26
Augustine F. Watson	22
Blanks	32

Sheriff Middlesex Dist.

Blanks	40

County Commissioner Middlesex County to fill vacancy

Melvin G. Rogers	4
Blanks	36

A true record. Attest:

ALICE A. PIKE,

Town Clerk.

TOWN WARRANT FOR STATE AND PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex ss:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town affairs, to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury,—

On Tuesday, the 7th Day of November, 1944

at eight o'clock A.M. to vote on the following Officers and Questions:

The Polls will be open from 8 A.M. to 8 P.M.

ELECTION OF President and Vice President, Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney General, Senator in Congress, Representative in Congress, Councillor, Senator, Representative in General Court, County Commissioner, 1 County Commissioner to fill a vacancy, and Sheriff.

To vote on the following, mark a Cross X in the square at the right of YES or NO:

QUESTION NO. 1.
PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION.

Shall an amendment to the constitution to provide for a Fair, Concise Summary, instead of a Description, of Each proposed Amendment to the Constitution and Each Law submitted to the People, under the Initiative and the Referendum, and Certain Changes relative to the Filing of Initiative Petitions which is further described as follows:—

This amendment amends Article XLVIII of the Amendments to the Constitution by striking out section three under the heading "The Initiative. II. Initiative Petitions" and inserting in place thereof a new section which provides,—

That an initiative petition for a constitutional amendment or a law shall first be signed by ten qualified voters of the Commonwealth and shall be submitted to the Attorney General not later than the first Wednesday of the August before the assembling of the General Court into which it is to be introduced. It may be filed with the Secretary of the Commonwealth if the Attorney General shall certify that the measure and its title are in proper form and that it is not, affirmatively or negatively, substantially the same as any measure which has been qualified for submission or submitted to the people at either of the two preceding biennial state elections, and that it contains only subjects not excluded from the popular initiative and which are related or which are mutually dependent.

The Secretary shall provide blanks for the use of subsequent signers. He shall print at the top of each blank a fair, concise summary of the proposed measure, as determined by the Attorney General as it will appear upon the ballot, together with the names and residences of the first ten signers. All such petitions, with the first ten signatures attached, shall be filed with the Secretary not earlier than the first Wednesday of the September before the assembling of the Legislature into which they are to be introduced, and the remainder of the required signatures shall be filed not later than the first Wednesday of the following December.

Section 3 of that part of said Article XLVIII under the heading "The Referendum. III. Referendum Petitions." is also amended by striking out the second sentence of such section and inserting in place thereof provisions that the Secretary shall provide blanks for the use of the signers of a referendum petition on a law requesting that the operation of such law be suspended subsequent to the first ten signers and shall print at the top of each blank a fair, concise summary of the proposed law as determined by the Attorney General as it will appear upon the ballot, together with the names and residences of the first ten signers.

Section 4 of that part of said Article XLVIII under the heading "The Referendum. III. Referendum Petitions.", is also amended by striking out the third sentence of such section and inserting in place thereof provisions that the Secretary shall provide blanks for the use of signers subsequent to the first ten signers of a referendum petition asking for the repeal of an emergency law or of a law which takes effect because the referendum petition does not contain a request for

suspension, and shall print at the top of each blank a fair, concise summary of the proposed law as such summary will appear on the ballot together with the names and residences of the first ten signers.

Article XLVIII is further amended by striking out subheading "III. Form of Ballot" and subheading "IV. Information for Voters" under the heading "General Provisions" and inserting in place thereof new subheadings III and IV, which provide, respectively:

III. FORM OF BALLOT.

A fair, concise summary of each proposed amendment to the Constitution and each law submitted to the people, as determined by the Attorney General shall be printed on the ballot. The Secretary shall give each question a number and cause such question, except as otherwise authorized in said article of amendment, to be printed on the ballot in the following form:

In the case of an amendment to the constitution: Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below, (here state, in distinctive type, whether approved or disapproved by the general court, and by what vote thereon)? Yes.—No.

(Set forth summary here)

In the case of a law: Do you approve of a law summarized below, (here state, in distinctive type, whether approved or disapproved by the general court, and by what vote thereon)? Yes.—No.

(Set forth summary here)

IV. INFORMATION FOR VOTERS.

The Secretary shall print and send to each registered voter the full text of every measure to be submitted to the people, together with a copy of the legislative committee's majority and minority reports, with the names of the majority and minority members and a fair, concise summary of the measure as such summary will appear on the ballot and, in such manner as may be provided by law, other arguments for and against the measure,—

which proposed amendment was approved by the General Court and in a joint session of the two branches held July 8, 1941 received 201 votes in the affirmative and 2 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held May 12, 1943, received 214 votes in the affirmative and 5 in the negative,—be approved?

YES	
NO	

QUESTION NO. 2.
PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION.

Shall an amendment to the constitution to provide that the General Court may prescribe the terms and conditions under which pardons of offences which are felonies may be granted which is further described as follows:—

This article of amendment to the Constitution of Massachusetts annuls Article VIII of section 1 of chapter II of Part of the Second of the Constitution, which vested the Governor, by and with the advice of the Council, with the full and unrestricted power of pardoning offences of which a person is convicted, except such as persons may be convicted of before the Senate by an impeachment of the House, and adopts a new Article VIII in place thereof.

This new Article VIII vests the pardoning power in the Governor, by and with the advice of the Council, but provides further that if the offense to be pardoned is a felony the Legislature shall have power to prescribe the terms and conditions upon which a pardon may be granted.

The new Article VIII contains the same provisions as the old with relation to the ineffectiveness of pardons granted before a conviction,—

which proposed amendment was approved by the General Court and in a joint session of the two branches held July 8, 1941, received 199 votes in the affirmative and 1 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held May 12, 1943, received 198 votes in the affirmative and 0 in the negative,—be approved?

YES	
NO	

QUESTION NO. 3.
PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION.

Shall an amendment to the constitution restoring Annual Sessions of the General Court and an Annual Budget which is further described as follows:—

This amendment to the Constitution of Massachusetts annuls Article LXXII of the Amendments which provided for biennal sessions of the Legislature and a biennial budget, and makes effective those earlier provisions of the Constitution and its Amendments which were annulled or affected by said Article LXXII,—

which proposed amendment was approved by the General Court and in a joint session of the two branches held July 8, 1941, received 172 votes in the affirmative and 38 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches May 12, 1943, received 188 votes in the affirmative and 52 in the negative,—be approved?

YES	
NO	

QUESTION NO. 4.
PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION.

Shall an amendment to the constitution providing for Absent Voting by Qualified Voters who by reason of Physical Disability are unable to vote in Person which is further described as follows:—

This amendment to the Constitution of Massachusetts annuls Article XLV of the Amendments to the Constitution which related to absentee voting and adopts in its place a new Article XLV which authorizes the Legislature to provide for voting, in the choice of any officer to be elected or upon any question submitted at an election, by qualified voters of the Commonwealth who at the time of such an election are absent from the city or town of which they are inhabitants or are unable by reason of physical disability to cast their votes in person,—

which proposed amendment was approved by the General Court and in a joint session of the two branches held July 8, 1941, received 171 votes in the affirmative and 30 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held May 27, 1943, received 184 votes in the affirmative and 61 in the negative,—be approved?

YES	
NO	

QUESTION NO. 5.
LAW SUBMITTED UPON REFERENDUM AFTER PASSAGE

Shall a law described as follows:—This law amends chapter 271 of the General Laws by striking out section 22A, as previously amended, and inserting in place thereof a new section 22A, which provides that conducting or promoting a game of whist or bridge in connection with which prizes are offered to be won by chance, or allowing such a game to be conducted or promoted, shall not authorize the prosecution, arrest or conviction of any person for such acts under chapter 271 of the General Laws, which deals with crimes against public policy, if the entire proceeds of the charges for admission to such game are donated solely to charitable, civic, educational, fraternal or religious purposes. This new section does not contain, as did the section now stricken out, provisions authorizing the licensing and conducting of the game of beano,—

which section was approved by both branches of the General Court by vote not recorded,—

—be approved?

YES	
NO	

To obtain a full expression of opinion, voters should vote on all three of the following questions:—

(a) If a voter desires to permit the sale in this city (or town) of

any and all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on and off the premises where sold, he will vote "YES" on all three questions.

(b) If he desires to permit the sale herein of wines and malt beverages only to be drunk on and off the premises where sold, he will vote "NO" on question one, "YES" on question two and "NO" on question three.

(c) If he desires to permit sale herein of all alcoholic beverages but only in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises where sold, he will vote "NO" on questions one and two and "YES" on question three.

(d) If he desires to permit the sale herein of wines and malt beverages to be drunk on and off the premises where sold and in addition other alcoholic beverages but only in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises where sold, he will vote "NO" on question one and "YES" on questions two and three.

(e) If he desires to prohibit the sale herein of any and all alcoholic beverages whether to be drunk on or off the premises where sold, he will vote "NO" on all three questions.

1. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?

YES	
NO	

2. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?

YES	
NO	

3. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises?

YES	
NO	

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings there on, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid:

Given under our hands this 23rd day of October A.D. 1944.

IRVING F. FRENCH,
BERNARD H. GREENE
EDWARD J. SULLIVAN
Selectmen of Tewksbury.

A true copy. Attest:

CYRIL L. BARKER, Constable.

Saturday October 28, 1944.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts; November 7, 1944.

Middlesex ss.

I have served the within Warrant by posting up Attested copies thereof, one in each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and by leaving 100 copies for the use of the Citizens at the Post Offices in said town, eight days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said meeting.

CYRIL L. BARKER,

Constable of Tewksbury

A true copy. Attest:

ALICE A. PIKE,

Town Clerk.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex ss.

At a Meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in State and Presidential Elections, held this day in the Town Hall, the following business was transacted. Polls opened at 8 o'clock A.M. with Jesse J. French, Thomas F. Sullivan, Anna E. McPhillips, William H. McGowan, William I. Bailey, Harry A. Treadwell, Rose J. Furtado and Malcolm Buchanan sworn in as Tellers by Irving F. French, Warden. Register on ballot box showed 00000. The Polls closed at 8 P.M. and register showed 1576 but on three different occasions register recorded twice for one ballot which caused the final number shown to be three more than there were voters checked on the Voting List and also three more than there were ballots counted as votes actually cast. Therefore the correct number of votes cast this day was 1573. Thirty-three ballots were cast for "unregistered service persons" and sixty-three for service persons on Voting List.

Following is official result of count.

ELECTORS OF PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT

Dewey and Bricker, Republican Party	885
Roosevelt and Truman, Democratic Party	641
Teichert and Albaugh, Socialist Labor Party	2
Watson and Johnson, Prohibition Party	0
Thomas and Hoopes	2
Blanks	43

Governor

Horace T. Cahill, Republican Party	821
Maurice J. Tobin, Democratic Party	721
Henning A. Blomen, Socialist Labor Party	2
Guy S. Williams, Prohibition Party	3
George F. Paine	1
Blanks	25

Lieutenant Governor

Robert F. Bradford, Republican Party	958
John B. Carr, Democratic Party	542
Alfred Erickson, Prohibition Party	3
George Leo McGlynn, Socialist Labor Party	8
Blanks	62

Secretary

Frederick W. Cook, Republican Party	1006
Margaret M. O'Riordan, Democratic Party	486
Horace I. Hillis, Socialist Labor Party	4
Blanks	77

Auditor

Thomas J. Buckley, Democratic Party	611
Frank A. Goodwin, Republican Party	876
Cote Elvel Palmquist, Socialist Labor Party	7
Charles E. Vaughan, Prohibition Party	1
Blanks	78

Treasurer

Fred J. Burrell, Republican Party	802
John E. Hurley, Democratic Party	660
Herbert Crabtree, Socialist Labor Party	12
Earle L. Smith, Prohibition Party	4
Blanks	95

Attorney General

Clarence A. Barnes, Republican Party	889
Francis E. Kelly, Democratic Party	587
Fred E. Oelcher, Socialist Labor Party	5
Howard B. Rand, Prohibition Party	5
Blanks	87

Senator in Congress (To fill vacancy)

John H. Corcoran, Democratic Party	473
Leverett Saltonstall, Republican Party	1032
Bernard G. Kelly, Socialist Labor Party	14
E. Tallmadge Root, Prohibition	4
Blanks	50

Congressman (5th District)

Edith Nourse Rogers, Republican Party	1168
Milton A. Wesson, Democratic Party	354
Blanks	51

Councillor (6th District)

Joseph M. Curley, Democratic Party	577
Victor A. Friend, Republican Party	876
Blanks	120

Senator (7th Middlesex District)

Arthur W. Coolidge, Republican Party	1143
Blanks	430

Representative in General Court (19th Middlesex District)

Thomas F. Murphy, Democratic Party	621
Harold E. Tivey, Republican Party	839
John Belton	1
Blanks	112

County Commissioners (Middlesex County)
Vote for Two

William A. Andrew, Republican Party	826
Nathaniel I. Bowditch, Republican Party	749
Thomas B. Brennan, Democratic Party	455
Augustine F. Watson, Democratic Party	523
Blanks	593

Sheriff (Middlesex County)

Joseph M. McElroy, Republican Party	1225
Blanks	348

County Commissioners (Middlesex County)
To Fill Vacancy

Melvin G. Rogers, Republican Party	1326
Blanks	247

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This amendment amends Article XLVIII of the Amendments to the Constitution by striking out section three under the heading "The Initiative. II. Initiative Petitions" and inserting in place thereof a new section which provides,—

That an initiative petition for a constitutional amendment or a law shall first be signed by ten qualified voters of the Commonwealth and shall be submitted to the Attorney General not later than the first

Wednesday of the August before the assembling of the General Court into which it is to be introduced. It may be filed with the Secretary of the Commonwealth if the Attorney General shall certify that the measure and its title are in proper form and that it is not, affirmatively or negatively, substantially the same as any measure which has been qualified for submission or submitted to the people at either of the two preceding biennial state elections, and that it contains only subjects not excluded from the popular initiative and which are related or which are mutually dependent.

The Secretary shall provide blanks for the use of subsequent signers. He shall print at the top of each blank a fair, concise summary of the proposed measure, as determined by the Attorney General as it will appear upon the ballot, together with the names and residences of the first ten signers. All such petitions, with the first ten signatures attached, shall be filed with the Secretary not earlier than the first Wednesday of the September before the assembling of the Legislature into which they are to be introduced, and the remainder of the required signatures shall be filed not later than the first Wednesday of the following December.

Section 3 of that part of said Article XLVIII under the heading "The Referendum. III. Referendum Petitions." is also amended by striking out the second sentence of such section and inserting in place thereof provisions that the Secretary shall provide blanks for the use of the signers of a referendum petition on a law requesting that the operation of such law be suspended subsequent to the first ten signers and shall print at the top of each blank a fair, concise summary of the proposed law as determined by the Attorney General as it will appear upon the ballot, together with the names and residences of the first ten signers.

Section 4 of that part of said Article XLVIII under the heading "The Referendum. III. Referendum Petitions.", is also amended by striking out the third sentence of such section and inserting in place thereof provisions that the Secretary shall provide blanks for the use of signers subsequent to the first ten signers of a referendum petition asking for the repeal of an emergency law or of a law which takes effect because the referendum petition does not contain a request for suspension, and shall print at the top of each blank a fair, concise summary of the proposed law as such summary will appear on the ballot together with the names and residences of the first ten signers.

Article XLVIII is further amended by striking out subheading "III. Form of Ballot" and subheading "IV. Information for Voters" under the heading "General Provisions" and inserting in place thereof new subheadings III and IV, which provide, respectively:

III. FORM OF BALLOT.

A fair, concise summary of each proposed amendment to the Constitution and each law submitted to the people, as determined by the Attorney General shall be printed on the ballot. The Secretary shall give each question a number and cause such question, except as otherwise authorized in said article of amendment, to be printed on the ballot in the following form:

In the case of an amendment to the constitution: Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below, (here state, in distinctive type, whether approved or disapproved by the general court, and by what vote thereon)? Yes.—No.

(Set forth summary here)

In the case of a law: Do you approve of a law summarized below, (here state, in distinctive type, whether approved or disapproved by the general court, and by what vote thereon)? Yes.—No.

(Set forth summary here)

IV. INFORMATION FOR VOTERS.

The Secretary shall print and send to each registered voter the full text of every measure to be submitted to the people, together with a copy of the legislative committee's majority and minority reports, with the names of the majority and minority members and a fair, concise summary of the measure as such summary will appear on the ballot and, in such manner as may be provided by law, other arguments for and against the measure,—

which proposed amendment was approved by the General Court and in a joint session of the two branches held July 8, 1941 received 201 votes in the affirmative and 2 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held May 12, 1943, received 214 votes in the affirmative and 5 in the negative,—be approved?

YES	668
NO	78
BLANKS	827

QUESTION NO. 2.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION.

Shall an amendment to the constitution to provide that the General Court may prescribe the terms and conditions under which pardons of offences which are felonies may be granted which is further described as follows:—

This article of amendment to the Constitution of Massachusetts annuls Article VIII of section 1 of chapter II of Part of the Second of the Constitution, which vested the Governor, by and with the advice

of the Council, with the full and unrestricted power of pardoning offenses of which a person is convicted, except such as persons may be convicted of before the Senate by an impeachment of the House, and adopts a new Article VIII in place thereof.

This new Article VIII vests the pardoning power in the Governor, by and with the advice of the Council, but provides further that if the offense to be pardoned is a felony the Legislature shall have power to prescribe the terms and conditions upon which a pardon may be granted.

The new Article VIII contains the same provisions as the old with relation to the ineffectiveness of pardons granted before a conviction,—

which proposed amendment was approved by the General Court and in a joint session of the two branches held July 8, 1941, received 199 votes in the affirmative and 1 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held May 12, 1943, received 198 votes in the affirmative and 0 in the negative,—be approved?

YES	541
NO	223
BLANKS	809

QUESTION NO. 3.
PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION.

Shall an amendment to the constitution restoring Annual Sessions of the General Court and an Annual Budget which is further described as follows:—

This amendment to the Constitution of Massachusetts annuls Article LXXII of the Amendments which provided for biennal sessions of the Legislature and a biennial budget, and makes effective those earlier provisions of the Constitution and its Amendments which were annulled or affected by said Article LXXII,—

which proposed amendment was approved by the General Court and in a joint session of the two branches held July 8, 1941, received 172 votes in the affirmative and 38 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches May 12, 1943, received 188 votes in the affirmative and 52 in the negative,—be approved?

YES	430
NO	388
BLANKS	755

QUESTION NO. 4.
PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION.

Shall an amendment to the constitution providing for Absent Voting by Qualified Voters who by reason of Physical Disability are unable to vote in Person which is further described as follows:—

This amendment to the Constitution of Massachusetts annuls Article XLV of the Amendments to the Constitution which related to

absentee voting and adopts in its place a new Article XLV which authorizes the Legislature to provide for voting, in the choice of any officer to be elected or upon any question submitted at an election, by qualified voters of the Commonwealth who at the time of such an election are absent from the city or town of which they are inhabitants or are unable by reason of physical disability to cast their votes in person,—

which proposed amendment was approved by the General Court and in a joint session of the two branches held July 8, 1941, received 171 votes in the affirmative and 30 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held May 27, 1943, received 184 votes in the affirmative and 61 in the negative,—be approved?

YES	736
NO	107
BLANKS	730

QUESTION NO. 5.

LAW SUBMITTED UPON REFERENDUM AFTER PASSAGE

Shall a law described as follows:—This law amends chapter 271 of the General Laws by striking out section 22A, as previously amended, and inserting in place thereof a new section 22A, which provides that conducting or promoting a game of whist or bridge in connection with which prizes are offered to be won by chance, or allowing such a game to be conducted or promoted, shall not authorize the prosecution, arrest or conviction of any person for such acts under chapter 271 of the General Laws, which deals with crimes against public policy, if the entire proceeds of the charges for admission to such game are donated solely to charitable, civic, educational, fraternal or religious purposes. This new section does not contain, as did the section now stricken out, provisions authorizing the licensing and conducting of the game of beano,—

which section was approved by both branches of the General Court by vote not recorded,—

—be approved?

YES	517
NO	285
BLANKS	771

To obtain a full expression of opinion, voters should vote on all three of the following questions:—

(a) If a voter desires to permit the sale in this city (or town) of any and all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on and off the premises where sold, he will vote "YES" on all three questions.

(b) If he desires to permit the sale herein of wines and malt beverages only to be drunk on and off the premises where sold, he will vote "NO" on question one, "YES" on question two and "NO" on question three.

(c) If he desires to permit sale herein of all alcoholic beverages but only in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises where sold, he will vote "NO" on questions one and two and "YES" on question three.

(d) If he desires to permit the sale herein of wines and malt beverages to be drunk on and off the premises where sold and in addition other alcoholic beverages but only in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises where sold, he will vote "NO" on question one and "YES" on questions two and three.

(e) If he desires to prohibit the sale herein of any and all alcoholic beverages whether to be drunk on or off the premises where sold, he will vote "NO" on all three questions.

1. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?

YES	794
NO	442
BLANKS	337

2. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?

YES	790
NO	416
BLANKS	367

3. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises?

YES	857
NO	356
BLANKS	360

A true copy. Attest:

ALICE A. PIKE,

Town Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF REGISTRARS

Tewksbury, Mass.
November 21, 1944.

At a recount of votes cast at the State Election, held on November 7, 1944, for the office of Representative in the General Court, 19th Middlesex District, result was as follows:

Thomas F. Murphy	629
Harold E. Tivey	830
John Belton	1
Blanks	113
Total Vote	1,573

Attest:

HERBERT A. FAIRBROTHER, Chairman.
WILLIAM H. BENNETT
GEORGE J. McCOY
ALICE A. PIKE, Clerk.

A true copy. Attest:

ALICE A. PIKE, Town Clerk.

Tewksbury, Mass.
December 7, 1944.

At a recount of votes cast at the State Election, held on November 7, 1944, for the office of Attorney General, result was as follows:

Clarence A. Barnes	882
Francis Kelly	590
Fred E. Oelcher	5
Howard B. Rand	6
Blanks	90
Total Vote	1,573

Attest:

HERBERT A. FAIRBROTHER, Chairman.
WILLIAM H. BENNETT
GEORGE J. McCOY
ALICE A. PIKE, Clerk.

A true copy. Attest:

ALICE A. PIKE, Town Clerk.

VITAL STATISTICS 1944

Births

Births Recorded in the Town of Tewksbury.

No.	Date of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Parents
1	Jan. 20	Robert Norman Wilmot	Willard and Caroline
2	Jan. 31	Doris Jo Ann Record	Frederick and Gladys
3	Mar. 13	Genevieve Charlene Mizia	Stephen and Rose
4	Feb. 24	Paul Thomas Fitzpatrick	Thomas and Pauline
5	Apr. 15	Georgeana Olga Silva	George and Blanche
6	Feb. 21	John Earl Silveira, Jr.	John and Ruth
7	Jan. 9	Thomas Peter Kelley	John and Helen
8	Jan. 10	Gilbert Milton Caster	Milton and Marion
9	Feb. 5	Patricia Louise Daniels	Leon and Bernice
10	Mar. 1	John Arthur DeCarolis	Armando and Veneranda
11	Mar. 19	Harold William McCarthy	John and Mary
12	Apr. 2	Palm Judith Ann Christianson	Paul and Mary
13	Apr. 6	Richmond Underwood King	Robert and Phyllis
14	Apr. 10	Philip Morton Battles	Ralph and Martha
15	Apr. 19	Helen Louise Miller	Alfred and Helen
16	Apr. 19	Daniel Pike Armstrong	Herbert and Jean
17	Apr. 20	Janet Lee Doucett	Alden and Helen
18	Apr. 22	Donald Wayne Darby	Floyd and Maude
19	Apr. 24	Alfred Douglas Johnson	Alfred and Elizabeth
20	May 2	John Grant Hedstrom	John and Josephine
21	May 4	Barbara Anne Furman	Edward and Esther
22	May 9	——————Foreman	Francis and Frances
23	May 16	Beatrice Adaline Goes	Manuel and Josephine
24	Apr. 17	David Crowell Mores	Robert and Ruth
25	Apr. 29	Peter Cooney	Bert and Marguerite
26	Jan. 6	Howard Chandler Whitten	Howard and Lorraine
27	Mar. 11	Thomas William Nolan	William and Dorothy
28	Apr. 21	Patricia Sullivan	Frank and Catherine
29	May 21	Henry Rudolph Lessard, Jr.	Henry and Doris
30	June 28	John Francis Dacey	Jarleth and Helen
31	June 29	Phyllis Estelle Wakeham	Robert and Phyllis
32	June 30	Walter Robert Ackles, Jr.	Walter and Maude
33	July 17	Allan Samuel Stephens	Samuel and Elaine
34	July 23	Wendy Ann Bergstrom	Wendall and Thelma
35	July 2	——————	——————
36	Aug. 14	Constance Althea Whittet	James and Constance
37	Aug. 8	David Robert Lynch	David and Marion
38	Aug. 8	Donna Jean Hunter	Donald and Phyllis

No.	Date of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Parents
39	Aug. 13	Nancy Belle Johnson	Andrew and Mary
40	Aug. 20	Walter David Jamieson	Robert and Florence
41	Aug. 25	Robert Wallace Spalding	Gerald and Eugenia
42	Sept. 2	Robert Bruce Gray	Victor and Reba
43	Sept. 24	Ann Mary Culleton	Edward and Alice
44	Oct. 18	Elizabeth Ann Price	Richard and Ada
45	Sept. 17	Henry Joseph Paul Fleury	Henry and Rita
46	Sept. 19	James Joseph Higgs	James and Alice
47	Sept. 25	Cynthia Ann Carson	Lawrence and Sarah
48	Sept. 3	Jo Ellen Johnson	Nils and Doris
49	Sept. 1	——————Fisher	Albert and Frances
50	Oct. 13	——————Casserly	Thomas and Mary
51	Oct. 13	Arlene Ruth Kleynen	Edward and Ruth
52	Oct. 30	Lucille Isabelle Desharnais	Real and Anna
53	Oct. 15	Barbara Ann Hazel	George and Barbara
54	Oct. 27	Julie Frances Brown	Francis and Mary
55	Oct. 29	David Mowatt Lawrie, Jr.	David and Ruth
56	Oct. 19	Gerald Charles D'Entremont	Samuel and Kisbra
57	Nov. 22	Joseph Dennis Young	Thomas and Margaret
58	Nov. 26	Pamala Rose Roman	Walter and Rose
59	Dec. 9	Gail DiPalma	Michael and Josephine
60	Dec. 12	Katherine Elizabeth Jackson	James and Eva
61	Dec. 13	Norma Theresa Hunt	Harold and Lydianna
62	Dec. 8	Helen Grace Robinson	Howard and Kathleen
63	Dec. 16	Mildred Irene Sweeney	William and Mildred
64	Dec. 30	David Gardner Tibbetts	John and Marguerite
65	Dec. 11	Patricia Lois Bernier	Emile and Kathleen
66	Dec. 22	Lawrence William Swap	Lawrence and Mabel
67	Dec. 29	Paul Allen Curtis	Harry and Muriel

Marriages

Marriages Recorded in the Town of Tewksbury.—1944

No.	Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
1	Jan. 1	Robert C. Barnicoat	Hanover, Mass.
		Alice M. Farrell	Tewksbury, Mass.
2	Jan. 13	Joseph Dazzo	Billerica, Mass.
		Ruth May Hutchinson	Billerica, Mass
3	Feb. 2	Charles C. Welch	Calcasieu, La.
		Gloria F. Holmes	Tewksbury Mass.
4	Feb. 10	Bernard Schimpfke	Reading, Mass.
		Sarah Lenore McNamara	Tewksbury, Mass.
5	Feb. 27	Joseph F. Laliberte	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Mary G. McGee	Lowell, Mass.
6	Mar. 11	George W. Tareila	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Viola C. Forsyth	Methuen, Mass.
7	Mar. 15	George John Manhart	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Janet S. Tracy	Tewksbury, Mass.
8	Apr. 4	William John Robicheau	Mt. Rainier, Md.
		Mary Blanche Gillissen	Tewksbury, Mass.
9	Apr. 8	Thomas F. Flynn	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Bernadette L. Farrell	Tewksbury, Mass.
10	Mar. 30	Henry R. Lessard	Lowell, Mass.
		Doris M. Fearon	Tewksbury, Mass.
11	Apr. 27	Raymond Leo Auttelet	Lowell, Mass.
		Arlene Marion White	Tewksbury, Mass.
12	Apr. 28	Andrew H. Carter	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Beatrice Camacho	Tewksbury, Mass.
13	May 10	Thomas F. Flynn	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Helen M. Noonan	Lowell, Mass.
14	May 7	Donald C. Bolton	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Elizabeth St. John	Billerica, Mass.
15	May 20	Bruce W. Hopkins	Dover, Pa.
		Veronica Rita Connell	Lowell, Mass.
16	May 30	Francis W. McCusker	Lowell, Mass.
		Jeanette E. Aubut	Tewksbury, Mass.
17	June 24	John Joseph Hanley	Medford, Mass.
		Marian C. MacLellan	Tewksbury, Mass.
18	June 24	Henry J. Fleury	Lowell, Mass.
		Rita M. Pare	Tewksbury, Mass.
19	June 9	Clifford L. Pruitt	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Dorothy R. Botos	Tewksbury, Mass.
20	July 6	Charles E. Mackey	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Eileen C. Devine	Lowell, Mass.

No.	Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
21	July 16	William Earl Stokes	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Marion J. Marsh	Tewksbury, Mass.
22	Aug. 22	Allan R. MacDonald	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Olive I. Costey	Norwood, Mass.
23	Aug. 26	Frank Adams Thomas	Ellicott City, Md.
		Ella Rose Bernsson	Tewksbury, Mass.
24	Sept. 2	Joseph Walter McKenzie	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Irene Massey	Lowell, Mass.
25	Sept. 1	William D. Howell, Jr.	Wilmington, Mass.
		Elsie G. Haas	Tewksbury, Mass.
26	Sept. 11	Francis J. Letford	Lowell, Mass.
		Sophie H. Alex	Tewksbury, Mass.
27	Sept. 19	Alphonse Richard Thomas	Drummondville, Canada
		Barbara R. Clark	Tewksbury, Mass.
28	Sept. 20	George Edward Carter, Jr.	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Elizabeth Agnes Smith	Wilmington, Mass.
29	Sept. 24	Warren D. Staples, Jr.	Concord, Mass.
		Alice E. D'Avignon	Tewksbury, Mass.
30	Sept. 30	Lester N. Alleruzzo	Ballardvale, Mass.
		Margaret A. Mackey	Tewksbury, Mass.
31	Oct. 4	Alexander Charrette	Lowell, Mass.
		Laura Gilmore Connelley	Tewksbury, Mass.
32	Sept. 10	John W. Merrill	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Mary A. Blades	Wilmington, Mass.
33	Oct. 8	James Mavrogianis	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Kalopia Anastos	Somerville, Mass.
34	Oct. 10	William J. Houlihan	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Stephanida Briscoe	Lowell, Mass.
35	Oct. 30	Geround B. Readden	Berkshire, Mass.
		Elizabeth M. Lundy	Tewksbury, Mass.
36	Nov. 5	Louis Picanso	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Eleanor Dee	Wilmington, Mass.
37	Oct. 21	Edward Forbes Chambers, Jr.	Lowell, Mass.
		Mary Louise Scribner	Tewksbury, Mass.
38	Nov. 11	Raymond Lawrence Kelleher	Lowell, Mass.
		Martha Q. Millett	Tewksbury, Mass.
39	Nov. 25	Arthur Poore	Boothbay Harbor, Me.
		Anastasia Bowley	Tewksbury, Mass.
40	Dec. 2	Antonio Perillo	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Francis Purpura	Tewksbury, Mass.
41	Dec. 10	Michael William Stankwich	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Florence Rose (Perkins) Murray	Tewksbury, Mass.
42	Nov. 9	Joseph Leo Vallee	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Carolina Anna Gomes	Lowell, Mass.

Deaths

No.	Date of Death	Name	yrs.	mos.	days
1	Feb. 14	George Henry Robertson	74	9	15
2	Feb. 24	Malvina Labonte	77	10	—
3	Feb. 24	Buzzell King	85	10	16
4	Jan. 5	George P. Dawson	82	3	—
5	Jan. 10	Eva Vaughan Miller	90	1	16
6	Feb. 3	Louis Oliver Berube	47	11	22
7	Mar. 31	James O'Brien	19	6	14
8	Mar. 29	Hannah Haines	84	1	6
9	Feb. 10	Axel F. Anderson	80	11	27
10	Apr. 8	Katherina L. Chandler	80	9	15
11	May 5	Delia Brady Gilmore	69	—	—
12	May 4	Mary Ann (Ramsdell) Eno	76	10	27
13	May 6	William C. Hutchins	82	11	15
14	Apr. 29	Rose Broadhurst	62	—	—
15	May 28	Salvatore J. D'Angelo	22	—	—
16	May 31	Mary H. (Whitworth) Shepherd	82	10	—
17	June 17	Charles Oscar Laferriere	49	10	—
18	June 20	Lucy A. (Garrison) Gallagher	63	—	—
19	July 14	George Henry Marshall	62	—	25
20	July 14	Ida Scarlett	72	—	—
21	July 4	Michael J. Concannon	66	—	—
22	July 15	William Harrison	75	5	—
23	June 19	Johanna Hansen	67	3	27
24	Aug. 23	Baby Nolan	—	—	2
25	Sept. 22	Richard L. Booth	69	8	12
26	Sept. 25	Adolphus Johnson	82	—	—
27	Oct. 16	James Abner Greeno	86	8	7
28	Aug. 10	Victoria Swistak	69	6	26
29	Aug. 24	Magdalene M. Scott	66	9	29
30	Oct. 3	Veronica (Lewandoski) Kroleski	68	—	—
31	Oct. 28	Anastasia Ligitsakos	75	—	—
32	Oct. 8	Louis Henry Amiot	63	5	3
33	Nov. 10	Edith Eugenia Haines	55	2	1
34	Nov. 14	Mary Josephine Mercier	61	—	—
35	Sept. 8	Leo Lacerte	68	8	23
36	Dec. 9	John L. Robertson	78	1	16
37	Dec. 30	Thomas F. McCormack	62	—	—

A true copy. Attest:

ALICE A. PIKE, Town Clerk.

RECAPITULATION

Births		67
a. Males	35	
b. Females	32	
Marriages		42
Deaths		37
a. Males	19	
b. Females	18	

THE TOWN CLERK HEREBY GIVES NOTICE THAT SHE IS PREPARED TO FURNISH PARENTS, HOUSEHOLDERS, PHYSICIANS AND MIDWIVES, APPLYING THEREFOR, BLANKS FOR THE RETURN OF BIRTHS AS REQUIRED BY LAW.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Received and paid to the Town Treasurer for Licenses, Permits, Fees, etc., $287.16.

Received and paid to the Town Treasurer for Dog Licenses, $818.

Received and paid to the Division of Fisheries and Game for Licenses, $375.25.

A Total of $1,480.41.

Attest:

ALICE A. PIKE,

Town Clerk.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

HIGHWAYS

General

Appropriation	$ 17,000.00	
Less Amount Allotted to Chapter 81	8,125.00	$ 8,875.00

Expenditures

Richard O'Neill, Supt.	$ 706.17
Thomas Manley, Chauffeur	535.71
Frank Goodwin, Chauffeur	558.19
Charles Bowden, Chauffeur	562.54
Roland Robinson, Laborer	526.85
Alton Parker, Laborer	465.70
Edward Penney, Laborer	498.37
Sidney Moore, Laborer	303.01
Nelson Brown, Laborer	489.29
William Penney, Laborer	463.56
Everett King, Jr., Chauffeur	3.25
Donald Gerard, Laborer	4.88
Harris Briggs, Laborer	3.05
Mark Roper, Jr., Laborer	12.20
Russell Gourley, Chauffeur	5.20
Richard Haines, Chauffeur	15.25
Leslie Collins, Chauffeur	12.35
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	248.90
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., diary	2.75
Arthur Tremblay, supplies	1.20
Curley Grain & Feed Co., coke & coal	30.03
Earl A. Lye, plowing snow (sidewalks)	118.50
The Edson Corporation, couplings	23.52
Mildred S. Fish, clerical work	120.00
Explosive Supply Co., Inc., dynamite and caps	19.50
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	165.35
Lowell Gas Light Co., coke	30.00
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	12.84
Max Levine & Co., pipe	2.00
Mrs. Mary O'Neill, sand and gravel	222.82
Traders & Mechanics Ins. Co., insurance on trucks	37.23
Osterman Coal Co., coal	87.64

A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps	3.00	
Lowell Glass Co. Inc., glass and putty	7.92	
Robinson's Moving & Express Service, express	3.66	
Currier's Express, express	.50	
Russell Lumber Co., lumber	10.47	
Wadsworth, Howland & Co., paint	44.20	
New England Concrete Pipe Corp., pipe	89.47	
Wilder Grain Co., cement	7.30	
Middlesex Co., roofing paper	3.78	
State Prison Colony, flange and grate	24.00	
Registry of Motor Vehicles, registration fees	14.00	
Salvatore Palladino, shovel operator	3.76	
John Brady, steam shovel work	308.00	$ 6,807.91
Unexpended		$ 2,067.09

Chapter 81

Allotment by Town	$ 8,125.00	
Allotment by State	8,125.00	$ 16,250.00
Less Amount Credited to Highway Machinery Fund		2,607.53
		$ 13,642.47

Expenditures

Richard O'Neill, Supt.	$ 1,080.13	
Thomas Manley, Chauffeur	687.66	
Frank Goodwin, Chauffeur	721.18	
Charles Bowden, Chauffeur	774.10	
Roland Robinson, Laborer	604.63	
Alton Parker, Laborer	634.36	
Edward Penney, Laborer	679.34	
William Penney, Laborer	623.78	
Nelson Brown, Laborer	790.07	
Sidney Moore, Laborer	299.88	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., road oil	2,866.42	
Collector of Internal Revenue withholding tax	252.00	
Mrs. Mary O'Neill, sand and gravel	227.17	
General Crushed Stone Co., stone	744.00	
Charles L. Haas, stone and gravel	1,930.30	
George Gaudette, grader and operator	272.25	
The Barrett Division, road oil	393.05	
State Prison Colony, cable posts	62.00	$ 13,642.32
Unexpended		$ .15

HIGHWAY MACHINERY FUND

Appropriation		$ 5,000.00

Expenditures

Clark-Wilcox Co., supplies	$ 8.65	
Simons Automotive & Radio Co., cross links	11.79	
Cities Service Oil Co., gasoline	1,539.16	
North Tewksbury Garage, labor and parts	723.04	
Eagle Oil & Supply Co., supplies	237.77	
Witkum Welding Co., repairing trucks etc.	343.00	
Henry P. Foley, shovels	7.50	
Reliable Tire Co., tires	397.00	
Dyar Sales & Machinery Co., parts	83.28	
Bronslaw Kohanski, repairing trucks	5.00	
Donohoe Tire Co., Inc., parts	6.80	
Frank J. Sullivan, truck tire repairs	19.65	
Waldo Bros. Co., gasket	.55	
Traffic & Road Equipment Co., street brooms	72.00	
Rice & Co. Inc., wire screen	5.50	
Conant Machine & Steel Co., supplies	146.23	
George J. Bresthe Co., steel plate	3.03	
Sherburne Bros., drag plank	7.50	
P. Falardeau, repairing equipment	26.10	
Patrick Lacey, second-hand torches	1.00	
Middlesex Supply Co., supplies	10.45	
Louis M. Marion, filing saws	1.35	
John C. Bennett, supplies	7.90	
Thomas P. Sawyer, hydraulic jack	10.00	
Lowell Glass Co., glass in truck	3.25	
Donovan Harness & Auto Supply Co., windows in truck curtains	1.50	
Warren E. McCarthy, Mack wheels, etc.	75.00	
Cogan's Auto Supply Co., tire chains	20.63	
Towers Motor Parts Corp., parts	9.84	$ 3,784.47
		$ 1,215.53

Chapter 90—MAINTENANCE

Appropriation	$ 2,000.00	
Allotment by State	2,000.00	
Allotment by County	2,000.00	$ 6,000.00
Less Amount Credited to Highway Machinery Fund		425.63
		$ 5,574.37

Expenditures

Richard O'Neill, Supt.	$ 156.00	
Thomas Manley, Chauffeur	115.78	
Frank Goodwin, Chauffeur	122.00	
Charles Bowden, Chauffeur	122.00	
Alton Parker, Laborer	85.74	
Roland Robinson, Laborer	120.80	
Edward Penney, Laborer	104.72	
William Penney, Laborer	114.32	
Nelson Brown, Laborer	114.32	
Sidney Moore, Laborer	67.12	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., road oil and concrete	1,235.12	
George Gaudette, use of grader and operator	231.75	
Charles L. Haas, stone	710.43	
General Crushed Stone Co., stone	1,141.44	
The Lacold Pavement Co., stone	754.60	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	44.50	
The Barrett Division, asphalt	333.72	$ 5,574.36
Unexpended		$ .01

SCHOOLS

Appropriation	$ 70,156.00

Expenditures

Teachers

Mary Shea, supervisor	$ 454.84
Evelyn Mekelatos, supervisor	200.00
Alice Sturtevant, supervisor	348.00
David Lynch, principal	2,211.08
Kathryn Chandler, teacher	1,506.12
Catherine Maguire, teacher	1,506.12
Vera C. Allen, teacher	1,503.29
M. Bernadette L'Esperance, teacher	895.44
Marjorie Stanley, teacher	1,269.12
Rita M. Sullivan, teacher	1,094.40
Joan Holt, teacher	1,313.07
Lillian Swartz, teacher	1,311.18
Mary P. Keefe, teacher	1,226.90
Charles Hazel, athletic instructor	500.00
Ruth Rood, sub.	97.50
Ethelyn Howard, principal	1,498.08
Elizabeth Flynn, teacher	1,278.08

Marion Piper, teacher	1,195.58	
Doris Blake, teacher	1,206.08	
Ruth Lyons, teacher	1,295.58	
Winifred Colbath, teacher	1,320.28	
Virginia Cunningham, teacher	1,199.48	
Catherine Meloy, teacher	1,032.12	
Margaret Delaney, teacher	1,170.39	
Eva Hersey, principal	1,206.08	
Helle D. Generales, teacher	1,032.12	
Mrs. Ann Washburn, teacher	1,338.48	
Mrs. Grace Hobart, teacher	1,118.12	
Mary Katherina, teacher	1,032.12	
Josephine Hedstrom, teacher	92.30	
Eileen Flynn, teacher	669.20	
Louise Wood, teacher	1,032.12	
Dorothy Barry, teacher	721.40	
Mrs. Bernard Greene, sub.	4.00	
Mrs. Charles Stewart, sub.	88.00	
Mrs. Ruth Anderson, sub.	52.00	
Catherine Desmond, sub.	12.00	
Catherine Garrity, sub.	5.00	
Arlene Moore, teacher	407.60	
Mary Furey, teacher	327.60	
Mrs. Mae Kane, teacher	369.20	
Olive Littlehale, supervisor	87.48	
Mrs. Helen Webb, sub.	5.00	
Mrs. Doris Lawton, teacher	185.00	
Mrs. Evelyn Anderson, teacher	78.00	
Rita E. Sullivan, teacher	185.30	
Mrs. Blake, sub.	16.00	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	3,704.60	$ 40,401.45

Fuel and Janitor

Walter Lavell, Janitor	$ 1,356.30	
Homer Darby, Janitor	1,532.40	
George Garland, Janitor	1,502.60	
Bronslaw Kóhanski, Janitor	753.00	
John Dupee, Janitor	276.60	
David Hinckley, Janitor	12.00	
Austin F. and Jesse French, wood	6.00	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	956.66	
Earl A. Lye, trucking coal	897.95	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	169.10	
John G. MacLellan, range oil	15.41	

Lowell Gas Light Co., gas	99.40	
Mystic Waste Co., Janitor's supplies	8.66	
Osterman Coal Co., coal	113.70	
John Brady, slab wood	28.00	
Wm. M. Horner, Janitor's supplies	67.75	
State Prison Colony, floor brushes	34.17	
National Coal Sales Co., coal	2,371.45	
C. B. Coburn Co., floor oil	2.15	
A. G. Pollard Co., mop fillers	1.78	
Frank Sherlock. oil	1.20	
Sanascent Co., disinfectant	20.61	$ 10,226.89

Transportation

Omer Blanchard, driving bus	$ 2,400.00	
Fred Garlick, driving bus	2,400.00	
Anthony Furtado, Jr., driving bus	2,400.00	$ 7,200.00

School Houses

C. H. Hobson & Son, labor and material	$ 235.54
Louis M. Marion, labor and material	30.50
Golen's garage, installing fan belts	1.00
J. Russell Scott, supplies	37.97
The Robertson Co. Inc., supplies	6.75
Russell Lumber Co., lumber and nails	42.95
Osterman Coal Co., servicing stoker	144.75
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	46.67
International Business Machines Corp., maintenance service on clock system	15.00
Pratt & Forrest Co., lumber etc.	293.01
Middlesex Supply Co., parts and supplies	137.80
David Hinckley, building closet and repairs	28.00
North Tewksbury Garage, repairs to vacuum cleaner	3.50
Wm. H. Dewing, repairing pumps	124.64
Church Street Hardware Co., supplies	3.80
Wallace Farwell, labor and material	205.80
Bennett Bros., exchanging and repairing motors	30.95
Wadsworth, Howland & Co., brushes and paint	8.20
Derby Electric Motors Co., electrical supplies and labor	108.15
W. A. Mack & Co., repairs and installing ventilators	483.89
Max Newcity, labor	82.00

Chandler & Barber Co., locks	7.20	
The Thompson Hardware Co., paint supplies	8.68	
Frank P. Brown, labor	42.00	
Arthur Tremblay, supplies	.95	
Wm. G. Belair, labor and material	87.41	
The Fairgrieve Belting Co., Inc., belts	2.82	
Witkum Welding Co., welding	3.50	
Lester Bell, repairs to oil burner	4.00	
W. J. Bolton, labor	10.00	
H. Sutherland & Son, repairing lightning damage	225.00	
Jenness C. Dalton, door check repairs and parts	18.50	
Wilmington Builders' Supply Co., hardware	9.47	
Real Desharnais, painting Shawsheen School	450.00	$ 2,940.40

Books and Supplies

The National Geographic Society. renewal subcription	$ 14.00	
J. L. Hammett Co., books and supplies	1,001.09	
The Gregg Publishing Co., books	2.35	
Central Scientific Co., supplies	365.32	
Webster Publishing Co., books	21.28	
The H. W. Gray Co., music	3.49	
Scott, Foresman & Co., books	121.62	
C. A. Gregory Co., books	31.49	
American Book Co., books	240.29	
Oxford University Press, books	2.47	
Theodore Presser Co., music	2.27	
Wright & Potter Printing Co., account blanks	6.21	
College Entrance Book Co. Inc., books	60.11	
Time—subcription	5.00	
Chappell & Co., Inc., music	3.49	
Silver Burdett Co., music books	65.32	
Houghton Mifflin Co., books	19.93	
Ginn & Co., books and charts	194.94	
C. C. Birchard & Co., music	7.09	
Carl Fischer, Inc., music	3.76	
D. C. Heath & Co., books	25.50	
F. J. Flemings Est., paper supplies	124.75	
The Grolier Society Inc., books	8.12	
South-Western Publishing Co., books	53.57	
Life—subcription	4.50	
The Macmillan Co., books	113.72	
The Champion Publishing Co., books	10.47	
O. H. Tootnaker, maps and books	38.88	

Arthur P. Schmidt Co., music	2.49	
J. Fischer & Bro., music	3.52	
American Corp., Encyclopedia set	131.50	
World Book Co., books	19.66	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing	18.00	
The Manual Arts Press, books	11.19	
The Thompson Hardware Co., supplies	3.60	
Beaudette & Co., Inc., supplies	10.62	
Allyn & Bacon, books	85.85	
Remington Rand, Inc., supplies	20.76	
The L. W. Singer Co., books	10.14	
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc., supplies	62.51	
Reader's Digest, subcription	5.00	
D. Appleton Century Co., books	24.63	
The Arlo Publishing Co., books	7.37	
Spaulding Moss Co., supplies	25.80	
Science Service, subscription	3.50	
Laidlaw Bros., books	4.56	
Boston Music Co., music	10.41	
A. G. Pollard Co., supplies	6.64	
The Educational Screen, subscription	2.00	$ 3,020.78

Supervision

Stephen G. Bean, Supt.	$ 904.08	
Collector of Internal Revenue withholding tax	8.40	$ 912.48

Massachusetts School Fund

Massachusetts Board of Retirement		$ 2,118.50

Miscellaneous

Purity Spring Water Co., spring water	$ 45.90	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	120.81	
Stephen G. Bean, travel expenses	123.92	
Stephen G. Bean, postage and telephone	8.97	
Narragansett Machine Co., gymnasium equipment	101.70	
New England Laundries, Inc., laundry	2.58	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, letterheads and envelopes	10.75	
David O. Lynch, miscellaneous expenses	18.94	
Arthur Tremblay, groceries	33.67	
Anderson Bros., milk	10.76	
Walter W. Coburn, tuning pianos	9.00	
Boston & Maine R.R., drain pipe privileges	5.00	
Merrimac Mutual Fire Ins. Co., insurance	126.68	
May L. Larrabee, toll calls and supplies	46.62	

Miss Maguire, for diploma ribbon	2.10	
Singer Sewing Machine Co., servicing and repairs	24.91	
Reformatory for Women, flags	6.52	
A. G. Pollard Co., supplies	22.81	
The Bon Marche Co., ribbon	5.30	
Miriam H. Ware, clerical services	32.00	
Traders & Mechanics Insurance Co., insurance..	24.56	
John H. Seifer, repairs to clocks	15.00	
Scripture's Laundry, laundry	1.35	
Earl Lye, trucking	69.75	
Mrs. Harry Dawson, pianist for graduation	5.00	
Lull & Hartford, football	5.50	
Mrs. F. H. Garlick, laundering and dyeing draperies, etc.	4.20	
Leslie Collins, sharpening lawn mowers and tools	4.50	
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	12.14	
Bridget Tansey, work at Foster School	1.50	
Edith E. Haines, taking school census	35.00	
James Tatseos, handling supplies and distributing material	10.00	
Royal Typewriter Co., Inc., overhauling 21 machines	310.00	
A. Towle Co., express	1.20	
Commissioner of Public Safety, inspection of boiler	5.00	
Jeremiah Houlihan, warrant officer	100.00	
Kathryn Chandler, making out payroll	25.00	
J. Harper Gale, writing certificates	46.50	
J. Harper Gale, paid for supplies	4.23	
Ralph S. Battles, writing certificates	1.68	
Ralph S. Battles, telephone calls	5.20	
Arrow System, football shoes	58.50	
Wm. H. Bennett, use of well at Fleming School	10.00	
Tewksbury Co-Operative Society, supplies	20.50	
Holyoke Mutual Fire Insurance Co., insurance	82.09	
Federal Mutual Fire Insurance Co., insurance	42.64	
Lumbermans Mutual Casualty Co., boiler insurance	266.00	$ 1,925.98

School Nurse

Miss Edith Haines, R.N., services	$ 893.95	
Marie Cooke, school nurse	119.80	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	130.00	$ 1,143.75

Medical Inspection

Dr. H. M. Larrabee, school physician	$ 200.00	
Dr. Wm. L. Barnes, professional services	65.00	$ 265.00
Total School expenditures		$ 70,155.23
Appropriation	70,156.00	
Expenditures	70,155.23	
Unexpended		$ .77

VOCATIONAL SCHOOL

Appropriation		$ 1,000.00

Expenditures

City of Lowell, tuition	$ 613.50	
City of Boston, tuition	60.33	
Essex County Agricultural School, tuition	75.00	$ 748.83
Unexpended		$ 251.17

PUBLIC WELFARE

Appropriation	$ 6,000.00	
Transferred from Reserved Fund 4/17/44	1,500.00	$ 7,500.00

Expenditures

Expended for Welfare		$ 6,550.16
Unexpended		$ 949.84

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

Appropriation	$ 4,500.00	
Transferred from Reserve Fund	500.00	
Received from Federal Grant	2,076.00	
Brought Forward from 1943	122.75	
Received from Federal Grants, Administration	67.50	
Brought Forward from 1943	2.39	$ 7,268.64

Expenditures

Expended under Town Appropriation	$ 4,949.60	
Expended under U. S. Grant	2,013.50	
Expended under Administration	47.92	$ 7,011.02

Unexpended under Town Appropriation	50.40	
Unexpended under U. S. Grant carried forward to 1945	185.25	
Unexpended under U. S. Grant Administration carried forward to 1945	21.97	$ 257.62

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Appropriation	$ 18,500.00	
Received from Federal Grants	13,055.76	
Brought Forward from 1943	601.83	
Received from U. S. Grant, Administration	435.14	
Brought forward from 1943	32.98	$ 32,625.71

Expenditures

Expended under Town Appropriation	$ 18,467.69	
Expended under U. S. Grant	12,063.16	
Expended under U. S. Grant, Administration	457.45	$ 30,988.30
Unexpended under Town Appropriation	32.31	
Unexpended under U. S. Grant carried forward to 1945	$ 1,594.43	
Unexpended under U. S. Grant, Administration carried forward to 1945	10.67	$ 1,637.41

AID, STATE AND MILITARY

Appropriation	$ 2,000.00
Expenditures	471.18
Unexpended	$ 1,258.82

SALARIES

Appropriation, Town Auditor		$ 1,000.00
Robert E. Gay, services	$ 880.40	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	119.60	$ 1,000.00
Appropriation, Town Treasurer		$ 2,000.00
George A. Marshall, services	$ 1,950.00	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	50.00	$ 2,000.00

Appropriation, Town Clerk			$ 1,000.00
Alice A. Pike, services	$ 986.80		
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	13.20	$ 1,000.00	
Appropriation, Tax Collector			$ 2,500.00
Harry C. Dawson, services	$ 2,000.00		
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	500.00	$ 2,500.00	
Appropriation, Selectmen			$ 1,100.00
Irving F. French, services	$ 400.00		
Bernard H. Greene, services	350.00		
Edward J. Sullivan, services	350.00	$ 1,100.00	
Appropriation, School Committee			$ 225.00
May L. Larrabee, services	$ 75.00		
J. Harper Gale, services	75.00		
Ralph S. Battles, services	75.00	$ 225.00	
Appropriation, Road Commissioners			$ 400.00
Thomas P. Sawyer, services	$ 200.00		
Chester M. Roper, services	100.00		
Louis I. Berube, services	9.60	$ 309.60	
Unexpended			$ 90.40
Appropriation, Election Officers			$ 200.00
William McGowan, services	$ 28.00		
Annie McPhillips, services	28.00		
Thomas Sullivan, services	22.00		
Harry Treadwell, services	28.00		
Jesse French, services	22.00		
Malcolm Buchanan, services	22.00		
Rose Furtado, services	18.00		
Irving Bailey, services	18.00		
Arthur Wells, services	6.00	$ 192.00	
Unexpended			$ 8.00

STATIONERY AND PRINTING

Appropriation			$ 1,200.00
	Expenditures		
J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing	$ 71.50		
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	20.49		
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps and envelopes	150.41		

The Lowell Sun Co., advertising	76.38	
Balfe Service Co., printing lists, etc.	105.50	
Balfe Service Co., printing annual reports	613.60	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., supplies	30.87	
M. G. Wight & Co., cards	3.50	
Thomas Groom & Co., Inc., supplies	1.50	
Robinson Seal Co. Inc., birth certificates	20.67	
M. A. Lucia, stamps	2.16	
George A. Marshall, paid for supplies	.75	
Spaulding & Moss Co., poll lists	60.00	
Helen B. Ward, paid for registering letters	.52	$ 1,157.85
Unexpended		$ 42.15

INCIDENTALS

Appropriation		$ 1,300.00

Expenditures

New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	$ 385.44	
Shawmut Bank of Boston, postage	.63	
Irving F. French, expenses to Boston	9.00	
Irving F. French, use of auto and expenses 1944	50.00	
George A. Marshall, travel expenses	16.26	
George A. Marshall, paid for stamps	.55	
Fred C. Church & Co., Treasurer's bond	116.50	
Fred C. Church & Co., Town Clerk's bond	7.50	
Fred C. Church & Co., bond for Director Civilian Defense	5.00	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	44.18	
Dorothy E. Ackles, services for Selectmen, Board of Health & Soldier's Relief	68.00	
Director of Accounts, certifying notes	8.00	
Appleton National Bank, rent of safe deposit box	6.00	
Arthur J. Fairgrieve, rent of P. O. Box	1.85	
G. C. Prince & Son, supplies	11.65	
Rogers & Sherburne, legal services	41.24	
A. Adelbert Anderson, paid for box rent and telephone charges	14.47	
Bernard H. Greene, expenses to Boston	3.00	
Middlesex Co., Selectmen's Asso. membership dues	9.00	
New England Advertising, Inc., name plate for Honor Roll	40.54	
Burroughs Adding Machine Co., maintenance service	6.60	

Middlesex Supply Co., paint and brush	3.23	
The Hedman Co., renewal insurance on check writer	37.50	
Alice A. Pike, expenses to Town Clerk's convention	4.00	
Dennis M. Cronin, legal services	7.75	
Thomas E. Watson, blueprints	8.50	
Union National Bank, rent of safe deposit box	18.00	
Helen B. Ward, clerical work for Selectmen	36.00	
Tewksbury Cemetery Corp., care of Town Lot and Tomb	10.00	
Robert E. Gay, acknowledging deeds and statements	9.25	
Alice A. Pike, acknowledging deeds	5.50	
Winthrop S. Jones, care soldiers' lot	17.00	
Leslie Collins, care of South Cemetery	35.00	
Leslie Collins, work on Old Cemetery	5.00	
Harry C. Dawson, acknowledging deeds	.50	$ 1,042.64
Unexpended		$ 257.36

BOARD OF HEALTH

Appropriation	$ 3,000.00

Expenditures

Middlesex Co., Sanatorium, care of town cases	$ 587.00	
Horace Sweet, paid for meat stamping ink	2.00	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., stamping ink	.35	
F. J. Fleming Est., tissue paper	2.18	
Mead & Wheeler Co., folders and records	3.08	
Leslie Collins, disposing of dogs	28.00	
Thomas O'Connell, operator, cleaning dump	39.78	
Frank Goodwin, chauffeur, cleaning dump	30.50	
Roland Robinson, laborer, cleaning dump	30.20	
Alton Parker, laborer, cleaning dump	28.58	
William Penney, laborer, cleaning dump	28.58	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., printed forms, etc.	8.44	
Patrick Canavan, labor and material	11.00	
Town of Billerica, rental of tractor and bulldozer	70.35	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	3.10	
MacGregor Instrument Co., supplies	6.06	
Bernard H. Greene, travel expenses for Bd. of Health	50.00	
St. John's Hospital, care of 2 patients	141.05	

Charles Santos, paid for meat ink	2.95	
City of Lowell, care of 3 patients at Haynes Memorial Hospital	400.00	$ 1,473.20
Unexpended		$ 1,526.80

MEMORIAL DAY

Appropriation		$ 350.00
Expenditures		
Eleanor Fitzgerald, pianist	$ 7.50	
F. I. Carter & Sons, 3 baskets	9.00	
Nancy W. Trickey, soloist	15.00	
Patten & Co., 5 wreaths	22.00	
Winthrop S. Jones, grave flags	36.00	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, program and tickets	12.00	
Thomas F. Hannafin, services of Band	87.00	
Lt. Co. Edward O'Sullivan, O.M.I., orator	15.00	
Ladies Aid Society, dinners	99.00	
George DeLa Haye, trumpet music	10.00	$ 312.50
Unexpended		$ 37.50

STREET LIGHTING

Appropriation		$ 6,300.00
Expenditures		
Lowell Electric Light Corp., street lights		$ 6,181.53
Unexpended		$ 118.47

LIBRARY

Appropriation		$ 1,300.00
Dog Licenses		681.37
		$ 1,981.37
Expenditures		
Dorothy Fitzgerald, expenses to Boston	$ 3.00	
Dorothy Fitzgerald, services at North District	10.00	
Jean Karr & Co., books	90.56	
Dewolfe & Fiske Co., books	1,157.33	
Ruth W. Smith, expenses to Boston	21.00	
Abbie M. Blaisdell, librarian	200.00	
Abbie M. Blaisdell, paid for box rent and supplies	2.84	
Abbie M. Blaisdell, services at Wamesit district	10.00	
Blanche King, asst. librarian	125.00	

Robert H. Sloan, asst. librarian	62.50	
Fawcett Publications, Inc., subscription to Mechanix	1.80	
Remington Rand, Inc., book	12.00	
Life, renewal subscriptions	9.00	
Nathaniel Dame, books and plastics	95.46	
Popular Mechanics Magazine, subscription	4.50	
Doubleday, Doran & Co., Inc., books	18.50	
James Marshall, transporting books	100.00	
George K. James, transporting books	10.00	
Stuart T. Murphy, asst. librarian	25.00	
Mrs. Bischoff, services at Silver Lake district	10.00	
Willard Publishing Co., books	1.60	
The National Geographic Society, renewal subcription	7.00	$ 1,977.09
Unexpended		$ 4.28

TOWN HALL

Appropriation		$ 4,650.00
Expenditures		
George K. James, Janitor	$ 1,502.00	
George K. James, paid for supplies	17.31	
M. G. Wight & Co., Mazda lamps	19.10	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	122.75	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	440.05	
C. B. Dolge Co., supplies	24.23	
Lowell Gas Light Co., gas	96.12	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	114.40	
First National Stores, Inc., supplies	2.16	
C. H. Hobson & Son, plumbing and material	8.61	
A. F. French & Co., paper supplies	40.04	
Traders & Mechanics Insurance Co., insurance	160.72	
George A. Marshall, paid for key	.50	
Osterman Coal Co., coal	519.65	
Fred C. Church & Co., insurance	422.46	
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	31.31	
Derby Electric Motors Co., electrical supplies	3.90	
The Thompson Hardware Co., paint and knives	11.14	
Hingham Mutual Fire Insurance Co., insurance	137.76	
Merrimack Mutual Fire Insurance Co., insurance	114.80	
Leslie Collins, sharpening lawn mowers	3.00	
Max Newcity, painting	12.00	
W. L. Farwell, painting	12.00	
Middlesex Supply Co., supplies	11.35	

A. J. Fairgrieve, insurance	287.50	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	.35	
Wm. M. Horner, janitors' supplies	4.80	
Post Office Locksmith, keys	1.50	
Commissioner of Public Safety, inspecting boiler	10.00	
Bennett Bros., labor and parts	21.26	
George J. McCoy, repairing clocks	38.00	
N. D. Lafleur, screws	1.24	
Arhtur Tremblay, supplies	12.44	
A. G. Pollard Co., supplies	12.00	$ 4.216.45
Unexpended		$ 433.55

GENERAL

The National Shawmut Bank, paid notes No. 248 and 249	$ 9,000.00	
Middlesex Co. Treasurer, T. B. assessment	1,442.78	
Dog licenses	776.00	
Sale of dog	3.00	
County tax	5,727.39	
Commonwealth of Mass., State tax	8,954.00	
Parks and Reservations	224.53	
Auditing municipal accts.	758.04	
The Merchants National Bank, paid notes No. 250, 251 and 252	60,000.00	$ 86,885.74

MOTH DEPARTMENT

Appropriation		$ 1,500.00
Expenditures		
Harris M. Briggs, services	$ 467.60	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	25.70	
John L. Dupee, labor	174.30	
Benjamin McKay, labor	107.50	
Orchard Corners Farm, second-hand spray rig	50.00	
Eagle Oil & Supply Co., motor oil	6.00	
Frank Sherlock, gasoline and oil	24.25	
General Mills, Inc., arsenate of lead and spreader	153.82	
J. H. MacKay, gasoline	1.90	
Arthur Tremblay, glass	.85	
John C. Bennett, torch and axe handles	7.75	
Frost Insecticide Co., creosote and drums	20.10	
North Tewksbury Garage, labor and parts	15.10	$ 1,054.87
Unexpended		$ 445.13

TREE WARDEN

Appropriation		$ 1,500.00
Expenditures		
Harris M. Briggs, services	$ 590.60	
Harris M. Briggs, registering trucks	4.00	
Wilfred W. Rice, filing saws	4.00	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	31.30	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	16.28	
Alton Parker, services	28.10	
North Tewksbury Garage, labor and parts	33.32	
Louis Brazee, labor	2.50	
Frank Sherlock, gasoline	82.83	
John L. Dupee, labor	123.70	
John C. Bennett, supplies	9.45	
Sidney Moore, mowing machine	15.00	
Roland Robinson, mowing brush	90.60	
Anderson Bros., use of horse	51.75	
Frank Goddard, parts for mowing machine	7.50	
Timothy Walsh, Jr., labor	35.00	
Clarence LaDuke, labor	142.20	
Louis Marion, filing saws	3.00	
Middlesex Supply Co., supplies	7.17	
Witkum Welding Co., welding	12.00	$ 1,290.30
Unexpended		$ 209.70

INTEREST

Appropriation		$ 600.00
The Merchants National Bank of Boston discount on notes No. 250, 251 and 252	$ 205.50	
National Shawmut Bank of Boston, discount on note No. 253	25.28	$ 230.78
Unexpended		$ 369.22

POLICE

Appropriation		$ 12,821.00
Transferred from Reserve Fund		500.00
		$ 13.321.00
Expenditures		
Cyril L. Barker, Chief	$ 2,310.90	
Jeremiah Houlihan, services	1,828.94	
Lauchie McPhail, services	757.10	

Ross Sargent, services	316.50	
George Gale, services	1,829.10	
George Hazel, services	498.45	
Daniel Sterling, services	1,701.00	
Walter Lavell, services	382.50	
Daniel J. Sheehan, services	57.00	
Cities Service Oil Co., gasoline	449.56	
Joseph Bourgea, repairing car heater	2.50	
City of Lowell, use of Jail	10.25	
City of Lowell, radio service	60.00	
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps	9.00	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	157.75	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	668.70	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing	8.50	
Dorothy E. Ackles, clerical services	133.90	
Golen's Garage, storage, repairs and parts	187.30	
Myers Auto Supply Co., parts	50.83	
Bonnell Motors, exchange of 2 police cars	1,349.00	
Harry A. Morrison, transferring radio from old to new cars	75.00	
Post Office Locksmith, keys	5.00	
Gaumont Bros. Co., radio tubes	2.10	
Towers Motors Parts Corp., brushes, etc.	4.69	
Abbott Battles, services	12.00	
Thomas P. Sawyer, safe	50.00	
DeLuxe Filter & Piston Co., cartridges, etc.	6.54	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	6.80	
James H. Burns, transporting prisoner	.81	
State Hospital and Infirmary, care of Daniel Sterling	11.00	$ 12,942.72
Unexpended		$ 378.28

PARKS AND COMMONS

Appropriation		$ 300.00
Expenditures		
Reformatory for Women, flags	$ 24.91	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	17.00	
Laurie Young, painting and repairing flag pole	100.00	
John C. Bennett, rope	6.50	
Leslie Collins, sharpening lawn mowers and new parts	9.50	
Harris M. Briggs, care of common and flag	125.00	$ 282.91
Unexpended		$ 17.09

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation		$ 10,330.00
	Expenditures	
A. S. Haines, Chief	$ 1,861.60	
Andrew Kohanski, services	1,707.10	
William R. Millett, labor at fires and station duty	390.13	
Everett Haines, labor at fires and station duty	308.86	
George James, labor at fires	120.94	
Charles Bowden, labor at fires	127.33	
John Carter, labor at fires	32.29	
Harry Patterson, labor at fires	84.98	
Harry Gleason, labor at fires	43.51	
Fred Carter, labor at fires	36.78	
Richard O'Neill, labor at fires	24.40	
William Bailey, labor at fires	70.90	
Harry Treadwell, labor at fires	143.51	
Edgar Hinton, labor at fires	48.40	
Fred King, labor at fires	179.75	
Robert Haines, labor at fires	113.69	
Wallace Farwell, labor at fires	56.65	
Harold Mills, labor at fires	72.41	
Gordon Dodge, labor at fires	52.90	
Anthony Cidado, labor at the fires	12.76	
Howard King, labor at fires	20.28	
Bronslaw Kohanski, labor at fires	63.40	
Walter Kohanski, labor at fires	36.02	
Omer Blanchard, labor at fires	24.02	
Bernard Greene, labor at fires	18.01	
Sidney Moore, labor at fires	1.88	
Luke Record, labor at fires	1.50	
Frank Corr, labor at fires	25.15	
Leslie Collins, labor at fires	11.64	
Albert Bancroft, labor at fires	6.76	
Albert Labonte, labor at fires	7.14	
Howard Whitten, labor at fires	6.00	
Benjamin Stalmak, labor at fires	13.13	
Earl Sands, labor at fires	8.63	
Eben Prescott, labor at fires	2.63	
John Smith, labor at fires	8.25	
Richard Goss, labor at fires	1.50	
Austin Dobson, labor at fires	1.50	
Robert Foote, labor at fires	1.50	
Charles Riddle, labor at fires	1.50	
Robert Jameson, labor at fires	1.50	
Donald Southmayd, labor at fires	1.50	

Elmer Southmayd, labor at fires	4.88	
Frank Marsh, Jr., labor at fires	3.38	
Ross Sargent, labor at fires	1.88	
Richard Treadwell, labor at fires	2.63	
Joseph Marsh, labor at fires	2.25	
William E. Stokes, labor at fires	2.25	
James Manley, labor at fires	.75	
Alton Parker, labor at fires	28.55	
William Penney, labor at fires	28.55	
Walter Roberts, labor at fires	.75	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	260.16	
John G. MacLellan, fuel oil	171.98	
Lowell Gas Light Co., gas	16.41	
North Tewksbury Garage, storage, labor & parts	177.10	
Hinton's Service Station, storage of truck	90.00	
Hinton's Service Station, gasoline, grease & parts	70.85	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	344.00	
Scannell Boiler Works, iron	2.00	
The Thompson Hardware Co., supplies	13.65	
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies	40.00	
Lowell Iron & Steel Co., hardware	3.49	
American Fire Equipment Co., repairs and equipment	2,575.58	
Frank Sherlock, gasoline and oil	83.58	
C. B. Dolge, Co., supplies	23.30	
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps and envelopes	4.24	
W. L. Farwell, labor, paint and plaster	21.58	
Witkum Welding Co., welding	7.50	
Tewksbury Diner, lunches	5.00	
Howard C. Whitten, lunches	1.38	
Louis M. Marion, filing saws	1.05	
Middlesex Supply Co., supplies	.67	
Malden Motor Parts Co., parts	9.76	
Town of Wilmington, rental of 3 hydrants	120.00	
E. A. Wilson Co., cleaning boiler	12.50	
Malden Glass Co., windshield	10.38	
Russell Lumber Co., lumber and posts	25.88	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., bulbs	1.23	
W. J. Connell Co., material and labor	4.38	
Robert Mores, repairs to radio	3.00	
Snap-On Tools Corp., tools etc.	63.15	
Arthur Tremblay, supplies	7.54	
The Robertson Co., linoleum installed in fire-house	110.00	$ 10.109.54
Unexpended		$ 220.46

ASSESSORS

Appropriation		$ 3,300.00
Expenditures		
Harry P. Nash, services	$ 663.60	
Harry P. Nash, use of auto	171.00	
Harry P. Nash, expenses at Assessors' meetings	19.30	
Buzzell King, services	93.10	
Austin F. French, services	637.70	
Austin F. French, expenses at Assessors' meetings	27.85	
Austin F. French, rebate on telephone	23.31	
Ethel M. Phillips, services	1,302.80	
Ethel M. Phillips, expenses to Assessors' Convention	3.75	
Ethel M. Phillips, expenses to Registry of Deeds	20.00	
Association of Mass. Assessors, annual dues	12.00	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	10.07	
The Stoneham Independent, excise tax cards	1.00	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	131.80	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., supplies	29.92	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	4.80	
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps	12.00	
Thomas E. Watson, plans and blueprints	71.00	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing	9.00	$ 3,244.00
Unexpended		$ 56.00

INSPECTION OF MEAT AND ANIMALS

Appropriation		$ 900.00
Expenditures		
Horace P. Sweet, services	$ 890.85	
Horace P. Sweet, paid for meat stamping ink	2.25	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	6.90	$ 900.00

COLLECTION OF TAXES

Appropriation		$ 1,000.00
Expenditures		
Walter H. Wilcox, Inc., bond for deputy tax collector	$ 5.00	
Underwood, Elliott Fisher Co., maintenance service	18.00	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	48.86	

Mass. Bonding & Insurance Co., tax collectors' bond		172.50	
A. J. Fairgrieve, rent of P. O. box		1.80	
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps and envelopes		350.00	
Harry C. Dawson, expenses to Registry of Deeds and bank		15.00	
Harry C. Dawson, paid Registry of Deeds for recordings		75.80	
Harry C. Dawson, paid express		1.13	
The Telegram Publishing Co., advertising tax items		98.75	
Donaldson's, typewriter ribbons and pencils		2.50	
Mass. Collectors & Treasurers Asso., annual dues		2.00	
A. W. LaFond & Co., tax bills		118.80	
Robert E. Gay, acknowledging deeds		18.75	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., forms and cash books		19.07	$ 947.96
Unexpended			$ 52.04

MAINTENANCE OF LEGION HALL

Appropriation			$ 125.00
Expenditures			
Lowell Electric Light Corp.. electricity	$	70.40	
The Robertson Co. Inc., desk		54.60	$ 125.00

DOG OFFICER

Appropriation			$ 200.00
Expenditures			
Gerald Finneran, services as Dog Officer			$ 200.00

HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING LOAN

Appropriation			$ 4,577.50
Merchants National Bank of Boston, interest on notes	$	577.50	
Merchants National Bank of Boston, paid notes No. 157, 158, 159, 160	$	4,000.00	$ 4,577.50

BOARD OF REGISTRARS

Appropriation			$ 600.00
Expenditures			
George K. James, services	$	7.50	
Lowell Sun Co., advertising		18.00	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., forms		3.26	
Bertha Benner, services		70.00	
George McCoy, services		122.00	

Alice A. Pike, services	$ 200.00	
William H. Bennett, services	97.00	
Herbert A. Fairbrother, services	82.00	$ 599.76
Unexpended		$ .24

CLERICAL ASSISTANCE

Appropriation	$ 300.00
Expenditures	
Ethel M. Phillips, services	$ 300.00

ADDITION TO SHAWSHEEN SCHOOL BUILDING

Brought Forward from 1943	$ 1,692.47
W. A. Mack Co., labor and material changing heating system at Shawsheen School	$ 1,692.47

MAINTENANCE OF STADIUM and ATHLETICS

Appropriation		$ 400.00
Expenditures		
John G. MacLellan, range oil	$ 45.12	
Horace Partridge, footballs & athletic equipment	226.80	
Wadsworth, Howland & Co., paint	5.92	
C. H. Hobson & Son, labor and material	93.95	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity	9.00	
Lull & Hartford, keys	6.25	
Lowell Glass Co., glass	9.45	$ 396.49
Unexpended		$ 3.51

TAX TITLE FORECLOSURES

Appropriation		$ 300.00
Expenditures		
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., forms	$ 8.33	
George A. Marshall, paid Registry of Deeds	4.40	
Middlesex No. District Registry of Deeds, fees for recording deeds	39.00	
Middlesex No. District Land Registration Office, recording affidavits	15.75	
A. J. Fairgrieve, postage on registered mail	7.80	
The Lowell Sun, advertising	18.00	
Alice A. Pike, acknowledging deeds	4.75	$ 98.03
Unexpended		$ 201.97

EXCISE REFUND

Estate of Franklin F. Spaulding, refund	$ 13.26	
Herman Bischoff, refund	4.24	
Russell Evans, refund	2.19	$ 19.69

REAL ESTATE FUND

Luke and Annie Powers, refund	$ 22.96	
John R. Smith, refund	1.40	$ 24.36

CIVILIAN DEFENSE

Appropriation		$ 375.00
Expenditures		
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones		$ 217.52
Unexpended		$ 157.48

MUNICIPAL INSURANCE

Appropriation		$ 1,500.00
Expenditures		
Union National Bank of Lowell, 2 U.S. Savings Bonds		$ 1,500.00

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Appropriation		$ 225.00
Expenditures		
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies	$ 13.50	
Robinson Seal Co., aluminum seals	2.12	
Victor N. Cluff, services as Sealer	200.00	$ 215.62
Unexpended		$ 9.38

SHAWSHEEN SCHOOL BUILDING LOAN

Appropriation		$ 2,045.00
Merchants National Bank of Boston, interest on loan	$ 45.00	
Merchants National Bank of Boston, paid note No. 238	2,000.00	$ 2,045.00

W.P.A.

Brought Forward from 1943		$ 315.85
Expenditures		
Singer Sewing Machine Co., repairing sewing machines		64.89
Unexpended		$ 250.96

PURCHASE OF WAR BONDS

Appropriation		$ 15,000.00
Union National Bank of Lowell, Treasury Notes of Series B—1947		$ 15,000.00

SCHOOL LUNCHES

Appropriation from W.P.A. Account		$ 1,000.00

Expenditures

The Tewksbury Co-Operative Store, groceries	$ 33.22	
Webster Thomas Co., groceries	76.04	
Mrs. Eugene Winters, services	119.20	
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	.80	
Mrs. Jane Wiley, services at Foster School	48.00	
Mrs. Catherine Moran, services at Shawsheen School	12.00	$ 289.26
Unexpended and carried forward to 1945		$ 710.74

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

Receipts

Central Savings Bank, interest from		
Samuel Jaques Fund	$ 3.00	
Jeremiah Kittredge Fund	3.00	
Louisa Bridge Fund	3.00	
Ebenezer Page Fund	5.00	
Wm. Pringle Fund	2.00	
City Institution for Savings, interest from		
Martha Shedd Fund	6.00	
Peter Clark Fund	2.00	$ 24.00

Expenditures

Tewksbury Cemetery Corp.,		
Care of Thomas Bridge Lot	3.00	
Care of Samuel Jaques Lot	3.00	
Jeremiah Kittredge Lot	3.00	
Leslie Collins,		
Care of Martha Shedd Lot	6.00	
Care of Ebenezer Page Lot	5.00	
Care of Wm. Pringle Lot	2.00	
Care of Peter Clark Lot	2.00	$ 24.00

SUMMARY

Highways—General	$ 6,807.91
Highways—Chapter 81	13,642.32
Highway Machinery Fund	3,784.47
Highways—Chapter 90, Maintenance	5,574.36
Schools	70,155.23
Vocational School	748.83
Public Welfare	6,550.16
Aid To Dependent Children	7,011.02
Old Age Assistance	30,988.30
Aid, State and Military	741.18
Salaries, Town Auditor	1,000.00
Town Treasurer	2,000.00
Town Clerk	1,000.00
Tax Collector	2,500.00
Selectmen	1,100.00
School Committee	225.00
Road Commissioners	309.60
Election Officers	192.00
Stationery and Printing	1,157.85
Incidentals	1,042.64
Board of Health	1,473.20
Memorial Day	312.50
Street Lighting	6,181.53
Library	1,977.09
Town Hall	4,216.45
General	86,885.74
Moth Department	1,054.87
Tree Warden	1,290.30
Interest	230.78
Police	12,942.72
Parks and Commons	282.91
Fire Department	10,109.54
Assessors	3,244.00
Inspection of Meat and Animals	900.00
Collection of Taxes	947.96
Maintenance of Legion Hall	125.00
Dog Officer	200.00
High School Building Loan	4,577.50
Board of Registrars	599.76
Clerical Assistance	300.00
Addition to Shawsheen School Building	1,692.47
Maintenance of Stadium and Athletics	396.49
Tax Title Foreclosures	98.03
Excise Refund	19.69

Real Estate Refund		24.36
Civilian Defense		217.52
Municipal Insurance		1,500.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures		215.62
Shawsheen School Building Loan		2,045.00
W. P. A.		64.89
Purchase of War Bonds		15,000.00
School Lunches		289.26
Cemetery Trust Funds		24.00
Total Expenditures		$315,970.05
Cash on hand	$ 6.83	
Cash in bank	90,993.80	91,000.63
Treasurer's receipts		$406,970.68

NOTE: No expenditures have been made from the following appropriations:

4-H Club	$ 50.00	
New Fire Truck, brought forward from 1942 to 1943, and from 1943 to 1944	5,500.00	

RESERVE FUND

Appropriation		$ 5,000.00
Transferred by vote of finance committee to		
Board of Public Welfare	$ 1,500.00	
Aid to Dependent Children	500.00	
Police Department	500.00	$ 2,500.00
Balance reverting to Town Treasury		$ 2,500.00
Investment Post War Rehabilitation Fund, U.S. War Savings Bonds		$ 15,041.28

TRUST FUNDS

Condition of Trust Funds, December 31, 1944:		
Municipal Building Insurance Fund, in banks	$ 19,467.89	
Reg. U. S. War Savings Bonds	4,500.00	$ 23,976.89
Foster School Fund		1,177.20
Dr. George A. Peirce Fund		107.64
Jeremiah Kittredge Cemetery Fund	$ 118.76	
Louisa Bridges Cemetery Fund	169.58	
Samuel Jaques Cemetery Fund	118.74	
William Prindle (Pringle) Cemetery Fund	101.03	

Ebenezer Page Cemetery Fund	408.58	
Peter Clark Cemetery Fund	101.03	
Martha Shedd Cemetery Fund	667.52	
Anna Boynton Cemetery Fund (War bonds)	200.00	$ 1,885.24

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of all Town Officials who were authorized to receive and expend money, for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1944, and to the best of my knowledge and belief they are correct, with proper vouchers on file, and $91,000.63 in the Treasury.

ROBERT E. GAY,

Town Auditor.

Personally appeared before me on this 26th day of January, 1945, Robert E. Gay, Town Auditor, and made oath that the foregoing statements are correct.

THOMAS P. FLYNN,

Justice of the Peace.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash Balance January 9, 1944		$ 87,561.53
Loans in Anticipation of Revenue		60,000.00
Loans in Anticipation of Highway Reimbursement		10,000.00

TAXES

Levy of 1942		
Demand	$ 26.50	
Interest	253.07	
Poll	2.00	
Real Estate	4,269.94	
Levy of 1943		
Demands	$ 12.60	
Excise	98.65	
Interest	308.51	
Personal	327.60	
Poll	4.00	
Real Estate	11,830.42	
Levy of 1944		
Demands	99.40	
Excise	4,085.62	
Interest	36.98	
Personal	64,527.12	
Poll	1,794.00	
Real Estate	69,843.74	
		$157,520.15

TAX TITLES

Redeemed	$ 1,130.43	
Partial Payments	979.83	
		$ 2,110.26
Land Owned by the Town Sold	$ 405.00	405.00
Foreclosed Tax Titles Land Low Value Sold	70.00	70.00

HIGHWAYS

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:		
Highway Chapter 81 Contract No. 8981	$ 7,057.34	
Highway Chapter 90 Maintenance	2,000.00	
Highway Snow Removal	45.25	
Hire of Highway Trucks and Roller	223.88	
Highway Fund Acts of 1943	7,486.19	
		$ 16,812.66
Middlesex County		
Highway Maintenance Various Roads	$ 2,000.00	$ 2,000.00

PUBLIC WELFARE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:		
Aid to Dependent Children	$ 2,400.96	
Aid to Dependent Children Federal Grant	2,143.50	
Old Age Assistance	12,564.32	
Old Age Assistance Federal Grant	13,490.90	
Meal Tax (Old Age Assistance)	669.55	
Temporary Aid	47.00	
Old Age Assistance Reimbursement Other Cities and Towns	637.97	
Public Welfare Reimbursement Other Cities and Towns	864.57	
Division of Child Guardianship Tuition	624.04	
		$ 33,442.81

STATE AND MILITARY AID

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:		
State Aid	$ 150.00	
War Allowances	110.00	
		$ 260.00

LIQUOR LICENSES

License Fees Collected by Treasurer	$ 2,125.00	$ 2,125.00

POLICE

District Court of Lowell		
Pistol Permits	$ .50	
Chief Cyril L. Barker, Pistol Permits	12.00	
		$ 12.50

PUBLIC LIBRARY

Middlesex County:		
Dog License Money Refunded	$ 681.37	
Abbie M. Blaisdell, Librarian		
Sale of Cards, etc.	11.00	
		$ 692.37

RENTAL OF TOWN PROPERTY

Karl Trott and Family	$ 105.00	$ 105.00

SCHOOLS

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:		
Vocational Education	$ 604.00	$ 604.00

TAXES (STATE)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:		
Corporations	$ 9,516.54	
Income Tax	17,358.00	
Reimbursement Loss of Taxes	3,103.89	
Department of Public Health	492.86	
		$ 30,471.29

TOWN CLERK

Alice A. Pike, Town Clerk		
Dog Licenses	$ 818.00	
Fees, Licenses	279.16	
		$ 1,097.16

TOWN HALL

Rental of Town Hall	$ 110.00	$ 110.00

TRUST FUNDS (INTEREST)

Anna F. Boynton Fund	$	2.50
Louisa Bridges Fund		3.00
Peter Clark Fund		2.00
Samuel Jacques Fund		3.00
Jeremiah Kittredge Fund		3.00
Ebenezer Page Fund		5.00
William Pringle Fund		2.00
Martha Shedd Fund		6.00
		$ 26.50

MISCELLANEOUS

Advertising	$	22.50
Licenses Class III		35.00
Licenses Slaughter House		10.00
Inspection Fees at Slaughter House		150.30
Permits :		
Milk: Store Dealers, Pasteurization (1943)		14.00
Milk: Store Dealers, Pasteurization (1944)		58.50
Music Entertainment on Sabbath Day		24.50
Other Permits Miscellaneous		13.00
Sale of Copies of Map of Town		2.00
Sale of Manual Training Supplies		20.56
Sealer of Weights and Measures Fees		18.04
Sale of Junk (Police Department)		5.00
Lightning Loss Foster School		475.00
Sale of Building off Pleasant Street		105.00
Right of Way Thru Town Property (Oil)		250.00
Alice A. Pike, Treasurer Balance Transferred to Account of 1944		11.25
Refunds:		
Individuals		190.07
Lowell Electric Light Corporation		11.00
Central Scientific Company		85.92
Use of Telephone		6.83
Telephone Toll Calls:		
Harry C. Dawson		2.60
Irving F. French		7.20
Robert E. Gay		2.80
Bernard H. Greene		3.55

Alden S. Haines	5.75	
George A. Marshall	7.75	
Alice A. Pike	6.33	
		$ 1,544.45
Total Money Received		$406,970.68

CREDIT

Addition to Shawsheen School Building	$ 1,692.47
Aid Dependent Children Town Appropriation	4,949.60
Aid Dependent Children Federal Grants	2,013.50
Aid Dependent Children Federal Grants Adm.	47.92
Aid State and Military	741.18
Assessors	3,244.00
Board of Registrars	599.76
Collection of Taxes	947.96
Civilian Defense	217.52
Clerical Assistance	300.00
Dog Officers' Account	200.00
Fire Department	10,109.54
Foreclosure of Tax Titles	98.03
General	86,885.74
Board of Health	1,473.20
High School Building Loan	4,577.50
Highways	6,807.91
Highways Chapter 81	13,642.32
Highways Chapter 90	5,574.36
Highway Machinery Fund	3,784.47
Incidentals	1,042.64
Interest	230.78
Inspection of Meats and Animals	900.00
Library	1,977.09
Maintenance of Stadium and Athletics	396.49
Maintenance of Legion Hall	125.00
Memorial Day	312.50
Moth Department	1,054.87
Old Age Assistance Town Appropriation	18,467.69
Old Age Assistance Federal Grants	12,063.16
Old Age Assistance Federal Grants Adm.	457.45
Parks and Commons	282.91
Police Department	12,942.72

Purchase of War Bonds	15,000.00	
Salaries	8,326.60	
Shawsheen School Building Loan	2,045.00	
Schools:		
Books and Supplies	3,020.78	
Fuel and Janitors	10,226.89	
Houses	2,940.40	
Medical Inspection	265.00	
Miscellany	1,925.98	
Nurse	1,143.75	
Supervision	912.48	
Teachers	40,401.45	
Teachers' Retirement Fund	2,118.50	
School Lunch Project	289.26	
Sealer of Weights and Measures	215.62	
Stationery and Printing	1,157.85	
Street Lighting	6,181.53	
Tax Refunds		
Motor Vehicle Excise	19.69	
Real Estate	24.36	
Transportation	7,200.00	
Town Hall	4,216.45	
Tree Warden	1,290.30	
Trust Funds		
Cemetery	24.00	
Municipal Buildings Insurance	1,500.00	
Vocational School	748.83	
Welfare (Public)	6,550.16	
W. P. A.	64.89	
Total Expenditures		$315,970.05
Total Money Received	$406,970.68	
Total Money Paid Out	315,970.05	$ 91,000.63
Cash on Hand	$ 6.83	
Deposit in Union National Bank Lowell	90,993.80	
		$ 91,000.63

ASSETS

Money Due the Town:	
Old Age Assistance Other Cities and Towns	$ 1,763.20
Welfare Other Cities and Towns	175.73

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:		
Old Age Assistance	4,517.08	
Aid Dependent Children	1,141.27	
Highway Chapter 81	705.56	
Town of Andover:		
School Department	291.00	
Outstanding Taxes	18,234.66	
Balance on Hand	91,000.63	
		$117,829.13

LIABILITIES

High School Loan Notes Nos. 161 to 177 inc.	$ 17,000.00	
Reimbursement Loan Note No. 253 due Feb. 7, 1945	10,000.00	
Addition to Shawsheen School Building Loan Notes Nos. 239 and 240	4,000.00	
		$ 31,000.00
Total Assets	$117,829.13	
Total Liabilities	31,000.00	
Balance in Favor of Town		$ 86,829.13

TOWN FUNDS

Post War Rehabilitation Fund, Chap. 5. Acts of 1943, Registered War Savings Bonds (2)	15,000.00	
Interest received on Bonds	41.28	15,041.28

TRUST FUNDS

Municipal Building Insurance Jan. 1, 1944:		
Deposited in Savings Bank	$ 19,113.73	
Interest Received for 1944 on deposits	288.13	
Registered War Savings Bonds (4)	3,000.00	
Interest Received on Bonds	75.00	
Registered War Savings Bonds (2) Bought with Appropriation 1944 (not yet delivered)	1,500.00	
Total Amount of Fund January 1, 1945		$ 23,976.86
Anna Boynton Fund (2 War Bonds)		$ 200.00
Foster School Fund		1,177.20
Cemetery (Seven)		1,685.42
George A. Peirce		107.64
Tax Titles Held by Town		2,631.43

FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE TOWN LAST TEN YEARS

			Tax Rate
1936	Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1	$ 40,363.11	$ 33.30
1937	Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1	26,172.22	33.40
1938	Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1	3,502.38	32.00
1939	Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1	5,595.52	29.30
1940	Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1	670.60	29.60
1941	Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1	2,774.55	28.20
1942	Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1	21,858.40	28.20
1943	Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1	50,423.10	28.00
1944	Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1	78,546.33	28.00
1945	Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1	86,829.13	

RATE PAID ON A. R. NOTES YEAR OF 1944

A. R. Notes Nos. 250, 251 and 252 borrowed at .45% discounted.
Reimbursement Loan No. 253 borrowed at .50% discounted.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE A. MARSHALL,

Town Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF APPRAISERS

MOTH AND TREE WARDEN DEPARTMENTS

January 1, 1945	$ 2,209.68
January 1, 1944	1,914.25
Net Gain	$ 295.43

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

January 1, 1945	$ 12,317.75
January 1, 1944	12,295.75
Net Gain	$ 22.00

IRVING F. FRENCH,

BERNARD H. GREENE,

EDWARD J. SULLIVAN,

Appraisers.

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

1942 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944	$ 4,459.75	$ 4,459.75
Collected during 1944	$ 4,269.94	
Added to Tax Titles 1944	184.17	
Abated during 1944	5.64	
	$ 4,459.75	$ 4,459.75
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1945		none

1942 Poll Tax Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944	$ 2.00	$ 2.00
Collected during 1944	$ 2.00	$ 2.00
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1945		none
Interest Collected during 1944	$ 253.07	$ 253.07
Costs collected during 1944	$ 26.50	$ 26.50

1943 Personal Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944	$ 338.80	338.80
Collected during 1944	$ 327.60	
Abated during 1944	$ 11.20	
	$ 338.80	$ 338.80
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1945		none

1943 Real Estate Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944	$ 16,031.58	$ 16,031.58
Collected during 1944	$ 11,830.42	
Added to Tax Titles 1944	$ 182.84	
Abated during 1944	$ 23.10	
	$ 12,036.36	$ 12,036.36
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1945		$ 3,995.22

1943 Poll Tax Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944	$ 4.00	$ 4.00
Collected during 1944	$ 4.00	$ 4.00
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1945		none

1943 Excise Tax Account

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1944	$ 105.19	$ 105.19
Collected during 1944	$ 98.65	$ 98.65
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1945		$ 6.54
Interest collected during 1944	$ 308.51	$ 308.51
Costs collected during 1944	$ 12.60	$ 12.60

1944 Personal Tax Account

Warrant for Personal Tax	$ 65,002.42	$ 65,002.42
Collected during 1944	$ 64,527.12	
Abated during 1944	$ 20.16	
	$ 64,547.28	$ 64,547.28
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1945		$ 455.14

1944 Real Estate Account

Warrants for 1944 Real Estate	$ 84,608.81	
Refunded during 1944	$ 24.36	
	$ 84,633.17	$ 84,633.17
Collected during 1944	$ 69,843.74	
Added to Tax Titles 1944	$ 539.56	
Abated during 1944	$ 558.71	
	$ 70,942.01	$ 70,942.01
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1945		$ 13,691.16

1944 Poll Tax Account

Warrants for Poll Taxes	$ 2,656.00	$ 2.656.00
Collected during 1944	$ 1,794.00	
Abated during 1944	$ 856.00	
	$ 2,650.00	$ 2,650.00
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1945		$ 6.00

1944 Excise Tax Account

Warrants for Excise Taxes	$ 4,213.82	
Refunded during 1944	$ 19.69	
To be Refunded in 1944	$ 1.62	
	$ 4,235.13	$ 4,235.13
Collected during 1944	$ 4,085.62	
Abated during 1944	$ 68.91	
	$ 4,154.53	$ 4,154.53
Outstanding Jan. 1, 1945		$ 80.60
Interest collected during 1944	$ 36.98	$ 36.98
Costs collected during 1944	$ 99.40	$ 99.40
Total Collected during 1944 and turned over to Treasurer		$157,520.15
Total Collected thru Tax Title Takings during 1944		$ 906.57
Total Amount Collected during 1944		$158,426.72
Total Amount Uncollected		$ 18,234.66

Respectfully submitted

HARRY C. DAWSON

Tax Collector

In Memoriam

BUZZELL KING

Died February 24, 1944

Served as Chairman

Board of Assessors

1908—1944

ASSESSOR'S REPORT

Value of Land Exclusive of Buildings Jan. 1, 1944	$ 844,503.00
Value of Buildings	2,175,440.00
Value of Personal Property	2,321,515.00
Value of Property December Assessment	1,800.00
Total Value for 1944	$5,343,258.00
Total Value for 1943	5,405,144.00
Loss in Valuation	$ 61,886.00

TAX LEVY FOR 1944

Town Appropriations	$194,007.00	
Appropriation Available Funds	15,000.00	
Debt and Interest Charges	6,622.50	
Overlay Deficit	457.71	$216,087.21
State Tax	8,954.00	
State Parks and Reservations	224.53	
State Audit	758.04	9,936.57
County Tax	$ 5,727.39	
Tuberculosis Hospital	1,442.78	
1943 Underestimate County Tax	289.95	$ 7,460.12
Overlay Current Year		$ 4,704.68
Gross Amount to be Raised		$238,188.58

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND AVAILABLE FUNDS

Income Tax	$ 14,873.62
Corporation Taxes	6,655.34
Reimbursement State Owned Land	3,103.89
Gasoline Tax	7,486.19
Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise	3,500.00
Licenses	2,700.00
General Government	250.00

Health & Sanitation	250.00		
Aid Dependent Children	5,300.00		
Old Age Assistance	13,000.00		
Old Age Tax (Meals)	553.85		
Schools	2,500.00		
Interest on Taxes	800.00		
Total Estimated Receipts		$ 60,972.89	
Overestimate State Parks	$ 6.86		
Amount from Available Funds	25,000.00		
Total Available Funds		$ 25,006.86	
Total Estimated Receipts and Available Funds			$ 85,979.75
Net Amount to be Raised on Polls and Property			$152,208.83
Polls		$ 2,648.00	
Personal Property		$ 65,002.42	
Real Estate		$ 84,558.41	
Total Taxes Levied on Polls and Property			$152,208.83

AUTO EXCISE LEVY

Total Valuation			$127,380.00
Amount Warrants to Collector		$ 4,213.82	
Amount Taken Estimated Revenue	$ 3,500.00		
Amount Abated	68.91	$ 3,568.91	
Balance			$ 644.91

TABLE OF AGGREGATES

Number of Dwelling Houses Assessed	1,368
Number of Acres of Land Assessed	11,088 2/5
Number of Live Stock Assessed	
Horses	62
Cows	643
Neat Cattle	62
Swine	558
Sheep	25
Fowl	23,025
All Other	5

EXEMPTED PROPERTY (REAL AND PERSONAL)

Religious, Charitable, etc.	$ 226,100.00
Town	416,700.00
State	4,386,580.00
Federal	102,550.00
Total Exempted Property	$5,131,930.00

Respectfully submitted,

AUSTIN F. FRENCH
HARRY P. NASH
ETHEL M. PHILLIPS

TEWKSBURY POLICE DEPARTMENT

1944

CYRIL L. BARKER, Chief

DANIEL D. STERLING†
LAUCHIE McPHAIL
JOSEPH A. VIVIER
JAMES MANLEY*
DANIEL J. SHEEHAN
ARTHUR LaFLEUR*
ROSS SARGENT
GEORGE M. HAZEL
GEORGE A. GALE
JEREMIAH HOULIHAN
C. ABBOT BATTLES
WALTER LAVELL

TEWKSBURY AUXILIARY POLICE DEPARTMENT

DIVISION 1

Mark Roper (Officer in Charge)

J. Harper Gale
John A. MacLellan
George J. McCoy
Louis Small
William Smith
Edwin Thorensen
William Scarlett

DIVISION 2

Herbert L. Trull (Officer in Charge)

Harold Smith
Wallace A. Fiske
Frank Johnson
John D. Scott
Stephen Scribner

DIVISION 3

Philip Battles (Officer in Charge)

Harold Carson
Cornelius L. Glen
Walter Jop*
Roy Lanner
Robert Smith
Roy H. Pennock
John A. Trull

DIVISION 4

Edwin Osterman (Officer in Charge)

Winthrop Bean
Victor N. Cluff
Uel H. Kinney
Enoch Lunn
John Furtado

DIVISION 5

Philip W. Rounsevell (Officer in Charge)

Howard Collins
Merton Curtis
Clifford Greeno
Hugh McPhee
George O'Connell
Thomas D. Ray*
Robert C. Renfrew
George Tolstrup

NOTE—*Serving with the Armed Forces of the United States
†Honorable Discharge from U. S. Navy

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE

December 31, 1944.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I respectfully submit the Annual Report of the Tewksbury Police Department, as follows:

Drunkenness	9
Illegitimacy	1
Arrests for other departments	3
Breaking and Entering in Night Time	2
Delinquent Child	3
Trespassing	2
Operating to endanger	1
Assault and battery	1
Leaving scene of accident	1
Larceny of goods	1
Non Support	1
Absconded from M.S.I.	4
Total	29

Disposition of Cases:

Lowell District Court

Guilty	14
Held for Superior Court	3
Not Guilty	2
Released by Probation Officer	5
Committed to State Farm	1
Fined	1
For other Departments	3
Total	29

Superior Court Cambridge

Cases Pending	3

District Court Sessions Attended	26
Superior Court Sessions Attended	2
Civil Sessions, District Court	8
Civil Sessions, Superior Court	14
Federal Court, Boston	3
Telephone calls at the office	3731
Telephone calls received at Chief's Home	3116
Complaints received	616
Accidents investigated	28
Summons served	34
Investigations for Selective Service	2
Public Functions policed	53
Funerals policed	10
Messages delivered	84
Dogs struck by cars, reported to this office	22
Dog bite cases	9
Sudden deaths investigated	4
Doors and windows found open	15
Snow and ice conditions on highway reported	9
Admitted to Tewksbury State Hospital	17
Lights out, poles and wires down	15
With Lowell Humane Society on Investigations	3
Missing persons reported elsewhere	9
Missing person in Tewksbury	18
Cars stolen elsewhere	42
Cars stolen in Tewksbury	3
Hearings held at office	14
Investigations for other departments	29
Investigations with agent of MSPCC	2
Registration plates checked	3
Cases transported to hospitals	17
Fires policed	28
Stolen cars recovered	9
Registration plates picked up	8
Merchandise recovered	$2,874.50
Investigations for Federal Bureau of Investigation	19
Cars transferred	62
Revolver permits issued	24
Jurors served	10
Policed buildings transported over highway	2
Cars checked during sticker drive	200

Our automobile accident record for the year show less in number, but injuries received were more serious. One fatal accident is recorded on Brown Street. The most serious accident occurred during the fall of rain or snow and freezing, forming an ice coating on the roadway.

The smooth surface on Main Street has been discussed with the Board of Selectmen, and they in turn have taken this matter up with the Department of Public Works. Nothing can be done to the road surface during the winter months, but assurance has been received from the Department of Public Works, that this situation will receive their attention in the Spring.

Our Juvenile Delinquency situation is again well in hand, and I feel that we can keep it that way. During the year we had the misfortune of losing a most valuable servant in this work. The death of our school nurse, Miss Edith E. Haines is a great loss., Very few people. knew of the great work she did in connection with Juvenile problems. To me it was a pleasure to work with such a fine person.

I wish to take this opportunity to extend my thanks to the members of the Board of Selectmen, Melvin G. Rogers, members of the Finance Committee, the Inhabitants of the Town, and to the members of the Police and Auxiliary Police Department for their co-operation during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

CYRIL L. BARKER,

Chief of Police.

In Memoriam

LOUIS O. BERUBE

Born February 12, 1896

Died February 3, 1944

Highway Commissioner

1940—1944

REPORT OF THE ROAD COMMISSIONERS AND SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

Board of Selectmen,

Tewksbury, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The following is our report for the year ending December 31, 1944.

CHAPTER 81, AND GENERAL HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE.

The usual highway maintenance was carried out this year, which included the use of gravel, tar, pea stone, pea gravel and patch on our various streets and those that come under our Chapter 81 Contract.

All guard rails and wooden fences have been painted and damaged posts on Andover Street, East Street, River Road, North Street, Billerica Road and Shawsheen Street have been replaced.

In resurfacing Town Hall Afenue, Old Main Street and sections of Chandler Street, Pleasant Street, River Road, and Common Street, an application of tar and pea stone was used. We previously used this treatment on our Chapter 90 Maintenance Streets and found it very satisfactory.

Catch Basins have been installed on the following streets this year:

Street	Location
Chandler Street	Corner of Pine Street
Pleasant Street	Near Mr. C. Ropers' residence
East Street	Northerly from Salem Junction

This year our highway employees were put on a straight salary basis, which includes stormy weather and holidays.

We deeply regret the loss of one of our members of the Board of Road Commissioners, Mr. Louis Berube. Though ill for many months Mr. Berube took keen interest in all matters pertaining to this department and was always in favor of everything that would benefit the town in any way.

On account of the help shortage we were asked to help several farmers during their harvest. Due to this we have an unexpended balance of $2,067.09. This balance has been turned back into the Town Treasury.

The following tables give the amount of material used on the various streets during the past year. Tar shown delivered to the Town Yard was used in mixing patch.

TAR, ASPHALT, SAND, PEA STONE, AND PEA GRAVEL

Street	Tar Gals.	Asphalt Gals.	Sand Cu. Cds.	Pea Stone Tons	Pea Gravel Tons
Trull Road	2507		75		
River Road	2000		10		110
Andover Street		3000		153.6	
Woburn Street		2500		120.8	
Kendall Road	764		30		
Livingston Street	2444		83		
South Street	1700		123		
Cross Street	200		8		
Bridge Street	586		20		
Roosevelt Street	496		24		
Coolidge Street	493		15		
Patten Street	1000		35		
Willow Street	651		25		
Mystic Avenue	500		15		
Pringle Street	1491		45		
Town Hall Avenue	1338			10.	90
Common Street	900			7.55	40.25
Pleasant Street	2019			20.	278.15
North Street	1955		68		
Main Street	2449			330.65	
East Street	9524			645.25	
Vernon Street	300		10		
Myrtle Street	300		8		
Clyde Avenue	207		5		
Glenwood Avenue	300		38		
Adams Street	300		6		
Florence Avenue	300		12		
Helvetia Street	965		28		
Chandler Street	3557			41.30	377.
White Street	305		10		
Town Yard	2791		838		

GRAVEL

Street	Cu. Yds.	Street	Cu. Yds.
Trull Road	84	Neveska Road	306
Martin Road	103	Lord's Farm	135
Pringle Street	154	Barker Road	32
Clyde Avenue	65	Maplewood Avenue	48
Elm Avenue	83	McLaren Road	24
Felker Road	58	County Road	60
Cross Street	25	Glenwood Road	1074
Forest Avenue	182	Pike Street	47
Lowell Street	164	Chandler Street	14
School Street	135	North Street	28
Idlewild Road	156	East Street	6
Algonquin Road	321	Boston Road	18
Pratt Street	70	Pleasant Street	14
River Road	34	South Street	66
Dubuque Avenue	123	Shawsheen Street	8
Rosemary Road	40	Green Street	50
Texas Road	35	Vernon Street	26
Oak Street	58	Nichols Street	115
Walcott Street	78	Filling in Cellar	108
Olson Road	99		

CHAPTER 90 MAINTENANCE

The usual maintenance of Chapter 90 Highways was carried out again this year under the provisions of the contract. All of our Chapter 90 Streets are in good condition.

Andover Street was resurfaced from the residence of Mr. Sullivan to the junction of Hood Road. Approximately 154 tons of pea stone was used. 121 Tons of pea stone was used in resurfacing Woburn Street from the Tewksbury and Lowell line to the Billerica Line. We sed 645 tons of pea stone in repairing various sections on East Street.

For a financial report of this department, we refer you to the Auditor's report of Highway Expenditures.

In closing this report, our appreciation and thanks are extended to our Board of Selectmen, Finance Committee, State and County Officials and Engineers, for their cooperation and untiring assistance.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS P. SAWYER,
CHESTER M. ROPER,
Road Commissioners
of Tewksbury.

RICHARD F. O'NEILL,
Superintendent of Streets.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE TEWKSBURY PUBLIC LIBRARY

The trustees of the Tewksbury Public Library submit the following report.

Details of expenditures will be found in the report of the auditor.

Regular monthly meetings have been held with the exception of July and August.

The trustees regretted the necessity of having to accept the resignation of Robert Sloan, who had most satisfactorily filled the position of assistant librarian. He is now at the Great Lakes Naval Training Centre in Illinois.

It is hoped that the citizens of Tewksbury will support the growing interest in the proposed memorial to Veterans of All Wars, which, we trust will take the form of a new library to be erected as soon as conditions permit.

The trustees wish to thank the librarian, Miss Abbie Blaisdell and her assistants, Miss Blanche King and Stuart Murphy for their faithful and courteous service.

The trustees respectfully request that the article in the warrant asking for an appropriation of $1300 together with money received from the dog licenses be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY PRIESTLEY
RUTH W. SMITH
DOROTHY FITZGERALD
EDGAR SMITH
HAROLD J. PATTEN
MARIAN E. FRENCH

Trustees

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

To the Trustees of the Tewksbury Public Library:

The following report is respectfully submitted.

During the year eight hundred seventy-five books were added, fiction four hundrel sixty, non-fiction two hundred seventy, juvenile one hundred forty five.

Thirty five different magazines are to be found in the magazine section—duplicate copies of the most popular ones have been subscribed for.

The new magazines are loaned for seven days—older ones for a longer period of time.

The circulation of books and magazines will be found in this report.

Patrons are urged to return books and magazines when due. The fine for overdue books and magazines is five cents a week.

The Librarian and Assistants wish to thank our patrons for their prompt return of books and magazines and to solicit their co-operation in the future.

During the year many books and magazines were donated for those in the service—these were turned over to the Red Cross for distribution.

We wish to thank all those who contributed.

Several contributions of new magazines were received at the library from families who had read them. These extra copies of popular magazines are very acceptable.

CIRCULATION OF BOOKS AT THE LIBRARY

Wednesday Afternoons

Fiction	755	Religion	2
History	29	Sociology	29
Literature	11	Science	22
Travel	18	Poetry	
Arts	60	Philosophy	1
Biography	43	Total	970

Wednesday Evenings

Fiction	2521	Religion	10
History	45	Sociology	54
Literature	20	Science	13
Travel	25	Poetry	3
Arts	56	Philosophy	3
Biography	65	Total	2815

Saturdays

Fiction	6431	Religion	17
History	122	Sociology	113
Literature	72	Science	54
Travel	121	Poetry	29
Arts	194	Philosophy	7
Biography	245	Total	7405

Wednesdays and Saturdays 11,190
Library and Districts 12,982

CIRCULATION OF BOOKS IN DISTRICTS

Wamesit

Fiction	539	Religion	
History	1	Sociology	2
Literature	6	Science	
Travel	2	Poetry	
Arts	2	Philosophy	
Biography	9	Total	561

Mrs. Randolph Fitzgerald

Fiction	672	Religion	2
History	31	Sociology	6
Literature	12	Science	1
Travel	24	Poetry	
Arts	29	Philosophy	5
Biography	52	Total	834

Silver Lake Bakery

Fiction	393	Religion	1
History		Sociology	2
Literature	1	Science	
Travel		Poetry	
Arts		Philosophy	
Biography		Total	397

Total Circulation in Districts 1,792

CIRCULATION OF MAGAZINES

American	85	Hygeia	23
American Cookery	31	Ladies' Home Journal	59
American Girl	8	*Life	303
*American Home	91	Mademoiselle	42
Atlantic Monthly	33	McCall's	70
Better Homes and Gardens	66	Mechanix Illustrated	58
Boys' Life-Open Road for Boys	12	*National Geographic	124
*Child Life	61	Parents	17
Children's Playmate	63	*Popular Mechanics	121
Cosmopolitan	51	*Reader's Digest	79
Good Housekeeping	85	Red Book	41
Harper's	47	Wee Wisdom	47
Hobbies	29	Woman's Home Companion	71
*House Beautiful	134	Others	29
		Total	1890

* 2 copies

Respectfully submitted,

ABBIE M. BLAISDELL,

Librarian.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE
BUREAU OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE
AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

GENERAL RELIEF: Although the total number of persons and families aided this year was less than in 1943, the total expenditures were higher, principally because of the increased living costs.

No assistance has been granted unless a justifiable need existed and only in cases where employment was impossible, either because of age or illness. Emergency relief was also provided in two families because of temporary non-support by the head of the household.

The reduced 1944 appropriation of $6000 proved inadequate, and in October the Welfare Department was forced to ask for an additional $1000. Judging from the amount spent in November and December of 1943, it was thought safer to grant $1500 additional. This was figured in anticipation of end-of-the-year bills, but these did not come in as expected. Consequently, a large part of the extra appropriation was not used.

To avoid a recurrent shortage in 1943, however, it is believed wise to recommend an appropriation of $8000 for General Relief.

The following is a recapitulation of the families and persons aided by the Welfare Department for the year 1944:

	No. of Persons		
	Families	Single	Total
Town settled cases aided in Tewksbury.....	6-18	10	28
Town settled cases aided by other cities, towns		2	2
Aided in Tewksbury, unsettled or settled elsewhere	5-28	3	13
Hospitalization, members of above families....	0		
Hospitalization, cases receiving no other aid		4	4
	11-46	22	68

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE: As this form of assistance has been on a budgetary basis since the revision of standards late in 1943, all payments for the year 1944 were somewhat higher than previously and

considerably in excess of Federal participation. Because of sickness among these aged recipients, the increase in the cost of medical care and hospitalization took up nearly all of the additional $1500 of the 1944 appropriation.

In all cases where it is possible, self-supporting children are continuing to contribute to the support of their dependent parents.

Because of the pending Legislative bill to lower the age of eligibility for Old Age Assistance from 65 to 60 years, it is felt by the Department that at least another $1000 will be needed for 1945, making a total appropriation of $19,500.

An average of 64 cases were given assistance in 1944.

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN: At the beginning of 1944 we were aiding 10 families of 28 persons, but during the year the number was reduced to 9 families with 21 persons represented. Several of the children for whom this type of assistance was being given reached the age of 18 and became self-supporting.

The present high cost of living and the fact that the budgetary standards are now being applied to this category have increased the expenses of this relief program. It was found necessary to obtain an additional $500 to finish out the year. Using this as a basis, it is believed that an appropriation of $5000 will be sufficient for 1945.

The report of expenditures for the three departments will be found in the Auditor's Report. Reimbursements received are reported in the Treasurer's Report.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD J. SULLIVAN, Chairman.

IRVING F. FRENCH

BERNARD H. GREENE

REPORT OF CIVILIAN DEFENSE COMMITTEE

To the Board of Selectmen, Tewksbury, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The organization is still on a call basis and according to the latest order from the Army should be kept on that basis—at least until the end of the war in Europe. The local centre is still covered by the telephone operators at the Infirmary and could become active in a very few minutes. The last time it was active was the night of the September hurricane.

I wish to extend my hearty thanks to the operators who have given me the greatest assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

EVERETT H. KING,

Chairman.

REPORT OF HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Chairman Greene and Members of the Tewksbury Board of Health:

As your agent I make the following report. This year has been a bit unusual. We have had more of dogbite cases than usual but have had no dogs reported as rabid. Our contagious cases have been few, but we have had two cases of Typhoid Fever. These required hospitalization for a long period. We have had two cases of Tuberculosis. Miss Haines has served, as Board of Health nurse and has performed many of the duties previously cared for by the agent. From a financial standpoint this has been a decided saving. I am making the suggestion that the new school nurse, be given the same rating and compensation.

HERBERT M. LARRABEE, M.D.,

Agent.

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

Year of 1944

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and Citizens:

As Chief of the Fire Department I herewith submit the following:

Total number of Fire and Emergency Calls attended	207
Grass and Brush Fires	141
Building Fires	22
Chimney Fires	5
Dump Fires	6
Automobile and Truck Fires	13
Flooded Oil Burners	4
Freight Car Fires	1

False Alarms	4
Emergency Calls	7
Electric Light Wires Arcing on Trees	4
Out of Town Calls	3

Total value of buildings and contents: $156,725.00.
Damage to buildings and contents: $22,196.60.
Insurance paid on buildings and contents: $16,651.60.
Traveled 1002 miles to fires. Laid 4,800 ft. 2½" hose; 5,200 ft. 1½" hose; 42,700 ft. 1" hose, and used 153 Indian Pump cans.
Personal property and real estate of Department: $35,695.50.

Respectfully submitted,

ALDEN S. HAINES,

Chief of the Fire Department.

REPORT OF THE TREE WARDEN

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:
Gentlemen:

As Tree Warden, I submit the following:

Owing to shortage of labor, we were again unable to cut brush from wall to wall as was done prior to 1943. The edges of all streets were cut approximately 3 feet from the traveled way by horse mower. Most of the dangerous curves were cut by hand. Trees considered dangerous were removed as far as possible but many trees need pruning badly.

About 75 Rock Maple trees were planted on the streets and 200 small Maples were set in the rear of Highway Dept. buildings. They can be transplanted on our streets at some later date as they attain more size.

About 200 reflector buttons were installed on trees close to traveled way.

We are again returning quite a large unexpected balance, owing to labor shortage mentioned above. When help is available again we should have a larger appropriation but under present conditions, I suggest the same amount be appropriated as last year.

Yours respectfully,

HARRIS M. BRIGGS,

Tree Warden.

REPORT OF THE SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and Citizens:

The following is my report as your Sealer of Weights and Measures for 1944.

SCALES

Platform over 5000 lbs.	2
Platform under 5000 lbs.	6
Beam under 100 lbs.	2
Beam over 100 lbs.	3
Spring under 100 lbs.	19
Computing under 100 lbs.	7
Avoirdupois	17

MEASURING DEVICES

Gasoline pumps	9
Kerosene pumps	2
Liquid measures	1
Grease measures	7

Collected and turned over to Treasurer $18.04

Respectfully submitted,

VICTOR N. CLUFF,

Sealer of Weights and Measures.

REPORT OF THE MOTH SUPERINTENDENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

As Agent for the suppression of Gypsy and Browntail moths and Tent Caterpillar Elm Tree Beetle, I submit the following:

Gypsy Moth conditions remain about the same as in 1943. A check of the woodlands is now under way. Several bad colonies have been found and booked for early summer spraying. Browntail Moths seem to be held under control by disease and parasites.

We had a bad out-break of Elm Tree Beetles but following two sprayings during their feeding season, very little defoliation was noticed.

My thanks again to the Highway Department for help given m during the spraying season.

I would recommend the appropriation as of last year.

Yours respectfully,

HARRIS M. BRIGGS

REPORT OF THE PARK COMMISSIONERS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:
Gentlemen:

As Park Commissioners, we submit the following:

The commons were raked, fertilizer applied and grass mowed.

The flag has been raised and lowered each day since the start of war. The flagpole received two coats of paint and all cracks were puttied. We feel it would be better to apply one coat of paint and fill all cracks each year.

The bandstand needs painting and repairing. Therefore, we suggest an appropriation of $350.00.

Yours respectfully,

THOMAS C. McAUSLAND
WALTER ROBERTS
HARRIS M. BRIGGS

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:
Town of Tewksbury:

Gentlemen:

The following is the report of the Inspector of Meats and Provisions and Animals.

Number of animals inspected by me is as follows:

Beef cattle	1097
Calves	785
Hogs	1988

Animals Condemned

Beef cattle	3
Calves	16
Hogs	3

Number of cattle inspected from out of State as follows:

Thomas Sawyer	288 head
Victor Cluff	1 head
Number of dogs quarantined	35
Number of barns inspected	21 found O.K.
Number of cattle inspected	533 all O.K.
Number of Meat Inspections	2

Respectfully submitted,

HORACE P. SWEET,

Inspector of Meats and Provisions
and Animals.

REPORT OF DOG OFFICER

December 31, 1944

To the Board of Selectmen,

Town of Tewksbury, Mass.

Gentlemen:

Following is the report of the Dog Officer from January 1st. through December 31, 1944:

Dogs licensed	377
Dogs sheltered	40
Dogs destroyed	30
Dogs returned to owners	20
Dogs picked up from highway	15
Investigations (license, complaints, barking dogs, dogs killing chickens, etc.	265

Respectfully submitted,

GERALD J. FINNERAN,

Dog Officer.

JURY LIST — 1944

Name	Occupation
Battles, Philip M.	Farmer
Bennett, William H.	Hydraulic Engineer
Blanchard, Omer N.	Farmer
Briggs, Harris M.	Moth Superintendent
Collins, George R.	Finisher
Collins, Leslie R.	Laborer
Cooney, Bert T.	Farmer
Dugau, Fred A.	Weaver
Felker, Onestus A.	Farmer
Fitzpatrick, Thomas F.	Salesman
French, Austin F.	Farmer
French, Irving F.	Farmer
Goddard, Frank	Salesman
Gray, George R.	Florist
Haines, Clifford H.	Tractor Driver
Hinton, Edgar G.	Filling Station Operator
Kelly, John H.	R. R. Operator
Lanner, Roy G.	Merchant
Meloy, Frederick F.	Contractor
Nichols, John F.	Attendant
Ogston, James R.	Laborer
Patterson, Harry W.	Chauffeur
Prescott, A. Raymond	Clerk
Plourde, Leo J.	Butcher
Roberts, Lindley A.	Printer
Sherlock, Francis P.	Filling Station Operator
Snell, Howard C.	Engineer
Sullivan, Thomas F.	Plumber
Trull, John A.	Farmer
Wells, Arthur W.	Salesman
Wiley, Harry P.	Retired
Williams, Charles D.	Market Gardener
Ward, George A.	Poultryman

IRVING F. FRENCH

BERNARD H. GREENE

EDWARD J. SULLIVAN

Selectmen of Tewksbury.

WARRANT FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Middlesex, ss:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury, in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in town affairs, to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury on Wednesday, February 21, at 7.30 o'clock P. M. to act on the following articles, except Article 1, and you are also hereby further required and directed to notify and warn the said inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, who are qualified to vote on elections and town affairs, there in to assemble subsequently and meet in town meeting at the Town Hall in said Town of Tewksbury, on Wednesday, February 28, 1945, at 10 o'clock A.M., then and there to act on the following Article 1.

The polls for the election of Town Officers to be opened at ten o'clock A. M. and to be closed at 8 P. M.

ART. 1. To choose all necessary Town Officers, to choose by ballot a Moderator, Town Clerk, one Selectman to serve three years, one member of the Board of Public Welfare to serve three years, one member of the Board of Health to serve three years, a Town Treasurer, an Auditor, a Collector of Taxes, a Tree Warden, and three Constables, all to serve one year. One Highway Commissioner to serve three years, one Highway Commissioner to serve one year, one member of the School Committee to serve three years, two Trustees of the Public Library to serve three years, one Park Commissioner to serve three years, one Assessor to serve three years, one Assessor to serve one year, and one Commissioner of Trust Funds to serve three years.

ART. 2. To hear reports of Town officers and committees and act thereon.

ART. 3. To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise by taxation to defray necessary expenses for the current year, and make appropriations for the same.

ART. 4. To see if the Town will vote the money arising from licensing dogs, for the ensuing year to aid in support of the Public Library.

ART. 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue on the financial year beginning January 1, 1945, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

VOTED: That the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1945, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ART. 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $350.00 for the proper observance of Memorial Day, and appoint a committee to expend the money. Said committee to be taken from members of Spanish War Veterans, American Legion, or Sons of Veterans.

ART. 7. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to institute suits on behalf of the Town or defend any suits that are, or may be brought against the Town, and to sign any contracts or agreements in behalf of the Town.

ART. 8. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $1,390.05 to pay the County of Middlesex, as required by law, the Town's share of the net cost of the care, maintenance, and repair of the Middlesex County Tuberculosis Hospital, as assessed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 111 of the General Laws and Acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto including Chapter 400, Section 25 G (6) (a) of the Acts of 1936 or take any action in relation thereto.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen and the Treasurer to foreclose either through the Land Court or by affidavit of the Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation, any Tax Title held by the Town for more than two years, and to see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate therefor or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding $400 for repairs to and maintenance of the athletic field and structures thereon at the High School and for the maintenance of athletics at the High School.

ART. 11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell, after first giving notice of the time and place of sale by posting such notice of sale in some convenient and public place in the town fourteen days at least before the sale, property taken by the town under tax title procedure provided that the selectmen or whomsoever they may authorize to hold such public auction may reject any bid which they deem inadequate, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 12. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Board of Selectmen to sell any parcel or parcels of land acquired by the Town through Tax Title foreclosure proceedings whose Tax Title value is less than $75.00. for whatever sum it may be in their judgement to the best interest of the Town, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,000. for the Maintenance of Chapter 90, Highways: said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 14. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to gravel and otherwise repair Robinson Avenue, which has been accepted by the Town by vote of a previous town meeting; and furthermore to have the Road Commissioners and Board of Selectmen show cause if any why this thoroughfare should not be repaired and maintained whether an appropriation is made under this article or not.

ART. 15. To see if the Town will vote to pay to the abutters on Robinson Ave., all land damages, and appropriate money for same.

ART. 16. To see if the Town will vote to continue the Highway Machinery Fund as established at the last annual Town meeting, and to appropriate an additional sum including the unexpended balance of the 1944 Highway Machinery account to be added to the amount already accredited to this fund, for highway machinery purposes, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 17. To see what sum the Town will vote to appropriate from the Highway Machinery Fund for the purchase, repair and maintenance of road machinery equipment for 1945, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 18. To see if the Town will vote to convey to Harris M. Briggs of Tewksbury, Massachusetts all the rights, interest and title it holds on Lot 173, Chandler Park, containing 1,800 square feet of land; also Lots 117 and 118, Chandler Park, containing 3,600 square feet of land, and authorize the Selectmen and Treasurer to make out and sign a deed with Quitclaim Covenants on behalf of the Town making the conveyance confirming a conveyance made on behalf of the town by the town treasurer.

ART. 19. To see if the Town will vote to convey to Ada Adalman of 268 Windsor Street, Cambridge, Massachusetts, all the rights, interest and title it holds on Lot 624, Shawsheen River Park, containing 2,000 square feet more or less, and authorize the Selectmen and Treasurer to make out and sign a deed with Quitclaim Covenants on behalf of the Town making this conveyance.

ART. 20. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer to discharge the Tax Title on Real Estate in the Town of Tewksbury, which appears to be of doubtful validity and on which it appears the Town has no claim or interest, as follows;

Matilda Weinfield, Lots 191 to 194 inclusive, also lot 250 on a Plan of Land known as "Plan A, Oakland Park", described in a deed recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 721, Page 103.

ART. 21. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $1,500.00, said sum to be used to continue the school lunch program, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 22. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $173.03 for unpaid bills of 1944 of the School Department.

ART. 23. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $301.97, said sum to be used for purchase of equipment for the gymnasium at the High School.

ART. 24. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of $1,200.00 to be used for repairing Pickering Hall, Fireproofing Air Ducts and Installing Water Bubblers or take any other action thereto.

ART. 25. To see if the Town will vote to install one light on South Street near the residence of Richard O'Neill or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 26. To see if the Town will vote to install one light on South Street, near the residence of Mrs. Hallett.

ART. 27. To see if the Town will vote to install one light on South Street, near the residence of Walter Hilliard and Frank Stout.

ART. 28. To see if the Town will vote to install one light at the corner of Water and South Street, also one at the corner of Bond Street and Lakeview Ave.

ART. 29. To see if the Town will vote to install one light on French Street, near the residence of Mrs. Eaton.

ART. 30. To see if the Town will vote to install one light on Sunnyslope Ave., near residence of Joseph Dubuque.

ART. 31. To see if the Town will vote to install one light on Clark Rd., near the residence of Thomas Bebbington.

ART. 32. To see if the Town will vote to cause the School Committee to hold their business meetings publicly and at specified and advertised dates, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 33. To see if the Town will vote to have the Moderator name a committee of five for the purpose of outlining and defining a set of zoning by-laws to be acted upon at the next town meeting, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 34. To see if the Town will vote to direct the Selectmen to prepare the lines and boundaries necessary to make all of the town south of the line through the center of Shawsheen Street into a voting precinct according to General Laws, Chapter 54, Section 6, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 35. To see if the Town will reconsider the action taken on Article No. 43, passed at the Town Meeting held on February 11, 1942, appropriating $5,500.00 for the purchase of a fire engine, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 36. To see if the Town will vote that all Motor Vehicles, owned by the Town of Tewksbury, shall be lettered with the name of the Department to which the vehicle belongs, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 37. To see if the Town will vote to set aside $15,000, from the fund set up under Section 1 of Chapter 4 of the Acts of 1942, for the erection of a Memorial Library after the termination of the existing state of war.

ART. 38. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $500 for the obtaining of preliminary plans for a Memorial Library, expenditure of said money to be made by the trustes of the Public Library, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 39. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a "Public Service Relations Committee" to represent the Town in regards to rates, schedules, and services as offered to the Town by the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway, The New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., The Auto Insurance Companies as controlled by the Commonwealth or any other public service performed in Tewksbury by any outside company, with the authority to demand public hearings, petition the the General Court or take any other suitable action necessary to obtain proper consideration. Also to appropriate a sum of money to cover necessary expenses or to take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 40. To see if the Town will vote that the following Noisome Trades within the borders of the Town shall be licensed Annually by the Board of Health, or Board of Selectmen; (Slaughter Houses, Commercial Piggeries, Rendering Works) and to provide that any License issued by such Board permitting a person, firm, Association, or Corporation to operate any such noisome trade named HEREIN, shall become void and shall be revoked by such Board, IMMEDIATELY upon the receipt by such board of a written complaint, or petition, which is signed by a majority of the inhabitants residing within the area affected by such noisome trade, or to make any other rules, or regulations relative to the licensing, operation, and restriction of noisome trades named HEREIN within the borders of the Town.

ART. 41. To see if the Town will vote to purchase additional burial ground in the Tewksbury Cemetery, adjacent to the soldiers' lot, and to make appropriation for same, for the purpose of enlarging the present soldiers' lot to provide burial space for ex-service men and women who have entered the armed services of the United States, from Tewksbury, or who have become residents of the Town, and may desire to be buried in the soldiers' lot in Tewksbury, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 42. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropropriate or transfer from available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the purchase of war bonds or other bonds that are legal investments for savings bank, in order to establish a post-war rehabilitation fund, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 5, Acts of 1943.

ART. 43. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $50.00 in support of the Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture, through the Middlesex County Extension Service, said money to be spent under the direction of the local director or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 44. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for necessary expenses of the Civilian Defense Committee, or take any other action thereto.

ART. 45. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for a reserve fund under Section 6 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws or take any other action thereto.

ART. 46. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $44.00 to be paid to the Dog officer for the keeping of dogs.

ART. 47. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $13.13 to pay Robert A. Haines for services as a Call Fireman from April 9, 1944 to April 29, 1944.

ART. 48. To see what salary or rate of compensation the Town will vote to pay the Assessors, and Tree Warden, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 49. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $300. for clerical services in the office of the Town Treasurer for the year of 1945 or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 50. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $117.14 for the payment of amounts due to the City of Lowell for the board, care and treatment for inhabitants of Tewksbury at the Isolation Hospital in Lowell.

ART. 51. To see if the Town will confirm the action of the Selectmen in granting an easement to the Beacon Oil Co. for installing of an oil line, or take any action relative to same.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and leave one hundred copies for the use of the citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, 8 days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meetings as aforesaid:—

Given under our hands, this 20th day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and forty-five

IRVING F. FRENCH,
BERNARD H. GREENE,
EDWARD J. SULLIVAN,
} Selectmen of Tewksbury.

A true copy attest:

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Constable of Tewksbury

TABLE OF ESTIMATES FOR 1945

Street Lighting	$ 6,400.00
Incidentals	1,300.00
Highways	17,000.00
Schools	74,394.50
Library (Dog Tax)	1,300.00
Police	12,191.00
Stationery and Printing	1,200.00
Board of Health	3,000.00
Park Commission	350.00
Tree Warden	1,500.00
Department of Public Welfare	8,000.00
Aid to Dependent Children (Plus Federal Grants)	5,500.00
Bureau of Old Age Assistance (Plus Federal Grants)	20,500.00
Fire Department	10,372.87
Town Hall	3,650.00
Assessors	3,200.00
Vocational School	1,000.00
Inspection of Meat and Animals	900.00
Aid, State and Military	2,500.00
Interest on Loans	600.00
Collection of Taxes	1,000.00
Municipal Insurance	1,500.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	225.00
Dog Officer	200.00
Maintenance, Legion Headquarters	125.00
Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths	1,500.00
Board of Registrars (including census and listing)	850.00

SALARY ACCOUNT

Auditor	$ 1,000.00
Town Clerk (exclusive of fees)	750.00
Tax Collector	1,850.00
Selectmen	1,100.00
Election Officers	75.00
School Committee	225.00
Road Commissioners	400.00
Treasurer	2,000.00

Annual Report

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF THE

Town of Tewksbury

ALSO

Report of Superintendent of Schools

For the Year Ending December 31,

1944

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Mrs. May L. Larrabee	1943-1946 Chairman	Tewksbury
J. Harper Gale	1944-1947 Secretary	Tewksbury
Ralph S. Battles	1942-1945	No. Tewksbury

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Stephen G. Bean	Wilmington

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Herbert M. Larrabee, M.D.	Tewksbury

SCHOOL NURSE

Miss Edith E. Haines, R.N.—deceased	Tewksbury
Mrs. Althea Knox—present incumbent	Billerica

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

Jeremiah Hoolihan	So. Tewksbury

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The work and supervision in the Tewksbury schools have been carried on as usual during the past year. Necessary repairs have been made on all school buildings.

Last summer during a severe thunder storm, the Foster school was struck by lightning causing considerable damage to the chimney and roof. Repairs were made at no expense to the Town as the building was covered by insurance. Several rooms and halls in the Shawsheen school were redecorated during the Christmas vacation.

The School Committee are pleased to report that the heating system at the Shawsheen school is working satisfactorily.

Hot lunches are now being served at the Foster and Shawsheen schools and a similar project will be started in the Ella E. Fleming school in the near future.

The Committee wishes to take this opportunity to thank the women of Tewksbury who have volunteered their time and service daily at the schools. Their help has made these projects most successful.

MAY LARRABEE,

HARPER GALE,

RALPH BATTLES,

School Committee.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee of Tewksbury:

Madam and Gentlemen:

The following is my fourteenth annual report as Superintendent of Schools. For the sake of conservation of paper, it will be found that it is reduced to an absolute minimum.

World conditions being much the same as when I wrote my last report, many of the observations made at that time as to the effect on our schools still hold true. There are the same influences of these conditions affecting the attitudes and reactions of our children only increasingly aggravated by longer duration.

One of the fortunate circumstances of the year is that through the good judgment of the Committee in creating a more reasonable salary schedule, we have been able to hold our teaching corps to a minimum of changes. In these days of teacher shortages, any small town that can keep together a reasonably efficient staff of teachers is extremely fortunate. To do this and also improve the general average is almost beyond expectation. Such is the present status of our school situation. Since September we have had the best general average that has been obtained for several years in our teacher personnel.

In the High School in September we had but one newcomer. This was Miss Arlene Moore a graduate of the Home Economics Course at Framingham Teachers' College. She replaced the teacher best known to us as Miss L'Esperance who left us after her marriage.

At the close of the school for the Christmas vacation, we knew that two more positions must soon be filled. We lost Miss Rita Sullivan of Lowell and gained Miss Rita Sullivan of Tewksbury. Miss Joan Holt of the English Department succumbed to the lure of a position in the world of business and we secured the services of Mrs. Margaret Ingraham of Billerica.

The new teachers were finally assigned so that Miss Sullivan took over the work of Miss Holt and Mrs. Ingraham assumed the duties left by the Lowell Miss Sullivan. Both of these teachers are fitting into our faculty very satisfactorily.

Fortunately no vacancies occurred in the staff at the Foster School and both of our reliables at the Ella Flemings School remained with us.

The roster of teachers in the Shawsheen School shows three new names as of September. Mrs. Dorothy Ogston Barry, Mrs. Josephine McLellan Hedstrom and Mrs. Eileen Flynn, all local incumbents, left us during the summer vacation. Mrs. Hedstrom's grade was taken over by Miss Mary Furey of Lowell, a graduate of Lowell Teachers' College, with experience. In place of Mrs. Barry, we secured the services of Mrs. Mae Armstrong Kane, also a Lowall graduate with a record of experience in the Medford Schools. The third new name as compared to last year's report is that of the Principal, Miss Margaret Delaney of Lowell, a teacher of a number of years of successful experience who, after more than a year of trial of work in another field at much better remuneration, decided that her real love was for teaching, even at a lower salary.

The Supervisory staff was subject to a heavy turnover. Two out of three left us during the summer. Miss Mary Shea, now Mrs. James A. Field, was succeeded as supervisor of art by Mrs. Evelyn Andersen of Wilmington, a product of the Massachusetts School of Art and Boston University. This was a most difficult position to fill, but in combination with Wilmington, where no art supervisor could be secured for nearly a year, the position was made sufficiently attractive to lure an unsuspected candidate almost on our doorstep.

The work in High School music was taken over, also in combination with Wilmington, by Miss Olive Littlehale of Tyngsboro. Miss Littlehale taught in the regular grades for some years and after repeated refusals over a period of years finally consented to take up the specialty for which she was trained.

Just before the end of the year, the school department lost one of their most earnest and loyal employees by the death of our School Nurse, Edith E. Haines, R.N.

Miss Haines was peculiarly fitted for the type of work in which she was engaged. She had an understanding of people and conditions in homes which made her work invaluable. Never sparing herself, she gave her best in sympathy and service to the infirm school childran of the town. Many a child enjoys better health today because of her insistence that proper attention be given to diseased tonsils, bad dental conditions and eye and ear troubles. Some cases would never have received proper treatment had she not transported them to the various clinics.

Mrs. Althea Knox was elected to succeed Miss Haines but was given a leave of absence to visit her husband on the West Coast during his furlough. Mrs. Marie Cooke has been acting as substitute during her absence.

BUILDING PROBLEMS.

The major problem facing us at the close of the winter season of 1943-1944 was that of adequate heating for the Shawsheen School. A heating engineer was consulted and after exhaustive survey, a set of recommendations was made which involved tearing out a large part of the rectangular ducts and replacing them with cylindrical pipes of smaller capacity to accelerate the flow of heat. A dome was also added to the furnace jacket to focus the heat flow and simplify its control. Changes were also made in the ventilating shaft for the two rear rooms to increase the outward flow of cold and foul air from near the floors. Thus far these changes, aided by increased janitorial assistance, have been reasonably successful. The school has operated on a regular schedule and, except for one day, with reasonable comfort.

One of my general observations, based on many years of experience, is that there are more school rooms which are overheated than there are which are kept at the desired sixty-eight degree temperature. Complaint is seldom heard, in winter, when the room temperature is eighty, but if the thermometer reads sixty-five I soon hear from it, either from teachers or parents. Twelve degrees above normal is so much worse than three degrees below. I wonder just why this is so, when these same people will want fans on an eighty degree Spring day. It is fair to observe that this attitude is not confined to school workers. The same thing is found true in almost any except the air conditioned offices or stores. Something about working indoors seems conducive to irritation about room temperature. Perhaps a little exercise would help. In other buildings in the system, repairs have been made as needed in a systematic attempt to have surroundings clean and well lighted.

I am still of the opinion that a better distribution of heat and a corresponding improvement in ventilation can be secured by making the indirect system work on the north side of the Foster School. Experts have looked this over and only one of them ever gave it consideration. New chimneys have been built and a new heater installed, but this circulatory system is still inactive and useless. Not being a heating engineer, I do not claim infallibility, but I still belive greater comfort in those rooms is possible.

AFTER THE WAR WHAT?

That is the paramount question before American educators today. It does not apply so much to the first six grades but in the so-called junior and senior high school years there seems a call for some kind of a change, especially in the senior high school.

So many of the seventeen and eighteen year old lads have been drawn into this war and their whole lives disrupted that serious thought must be given as to what we can do for these boy-men or men-boys, and girls as well, to help them start to rebuild a future where they left off.

The difficulty seems to be that they can't—or won't—start where they left off. They will have lived one kind of a lifetime during their period in service. They will have acquired some kinds of knowledge far beyond their years. What can we do to fit together the jumbled pieces of their life puzzle so that a fair and complete picture may develop; how can we untangle and weave together the threads of their lives into a strong and lasting fabric? This is the great educational question of the hour.

As usual there are at least two schools of thought taking sides on this question. Probably there are more than two; but two have definitely emerged. They are the same two which have battled perennially over the question of whether we educate children to live or to make a living.

I must confess that my own philosophy of education has always leaned towards the theory that we should educate people to live. This tendency is based on a lifelong observation that many men have made a living and even piled up fabulous fortunes with little or no education, but the majority of all of these have never really learned to live a full, satisfying and successful life. I have had many of these, in my lifetime in this profession of education, confess, or at least tell me of their regret, that they had not had adequate education; that life had not been all that it could have been had they known how to live.

It must be acknowledged, however, that there must be failure somewhere in our practice of educating when so-called thinking men can be led by the nose by a newspaper editor, a radio "columnist", a political promise maker or a Hollywood mountebank. We seem to have failed to teach our people how to think.

The Nazis are given credit for having done the most wonderful job of educating in the past twenty years that the world has ever known.

This is a false idea, however. Hitler did not teach his followers *how to think.* He merely indoctrinated them in *what to think.* There is a vast difference. Real thinking is the hardest work in the universe. That is why we have our Hitlers, and his kind, to do our thinking for us.

If there is no known way for us to succeed in teaching our people to think, then indeed education has a most serious problem to find one. And yet, there have been times in the past when this nation had a fair average of thinking men. We have never reached our present state of national well being without thought. Have we lost something precious from our teaching processes in these latter years. If we have, what is it? Let's rediscover it. It may be up there in the attic with the other antiques waiting for some smart "dealer" to shine it up and make a fortune.

Yes, we have an obligation to these boys who are, God willing, coming back some day to ask for our help. It is our duty to do some thinking and be ready. We owe them nothing less than the best. It is up to us to find out what is best and have it ready.

Reports of those of my associates as were here during the full year are appended. I did not require reports from the supervisors of Arts, and of Music in the High School and the School Nurse because they have been in service since September or later. Those that are here merit careful consideration. The report of the head of the High School should be given special attention.

CONCLUSION

I am deeply appreciative of the co-operation that I have received from all of my associates in the teaching and supervisory staffs and to the members of the school Committee for their understanding and their sharing in keeping Tewksbury schools up to a standard of accomplishment commensurate with and geared to this community. It is no simple task to keep schools functioning efficiently in these days of shortages of both personnel and materials.

Respectfully submitted,

STEPHEN G. BEAN,

Superintendent of Schools.

January 20, 1945.

REPORT OF THE HEADMASTER

Tewksbury High School

January 1945

To the School Committee of the Town of Tewksbury:

In June, 1944, Tewksbury High School was awarded, for the ninth time, a Class A Certificate by the State Department of Education.

The Ninth Annual Commencement of Tewksbury High School was held in the high school auditorium on June 9, 1944. The following is the graduation program.

Salutatory
IRENE R. BAZMAN

Honor Awards

The Larrabee Scholarship Medals
IRENE R. BAZMAN and ROBERT H. SLOAN

The Balfour Award
BEVERLEY BENNETT

The Melvin Rogers Athletic Medals
JOHN READY

The P. T. A. Citizenship Medal
LOUISE DEWING

The Washington and Franklin History Medal
GEORGE FARRELL

The Danforth Awards
BEVERLEY BENNETT and JOHN READY

The Readers Digest Award
ROBERT SLOAN

The D. A. R. Citizenship Award
BEVERLEY BENNETT

Address to the Graduates
MR. STEPHEN BEAN, Superintendent of Schools

Presentation of the Class Gift

JOHN READY	President Class of 1944
CHARLES PITMAN	President Class of 1945

Valedictory
ROBERT H. SLOAN

Presentation of Diplomas
MR. RALPH BATTLES

SENIOR CLASS

Agnes F. Balnis
Irene R. Bazman
Beverly Ann Bennett
Barbara M. Bernsson
Isabel Blue
Dorothy F. Brownstein
Mary C. Chandler
Louise H. Dewing
Flora A. Gay
Marjorie A. Hodgson
Rosemary Huston
Anne A. Lafreniere
Alberta I. LeBlanc
Amelia J. Lisay
Shirley T. Myhr
Concetta V. Richadelli
Joyce A. Roper
Gloria L. Sawyer
Barbara L. Scammell
Theresa C. Sheehan
Sophie H. Suslovitch
Maxine Thompson

Arthur J. Balnis
Donald E. Berube
Joseph P. Canavan
Paul J. Carey
Frank Gaddard
Manual L. Matnick
Allen R. Merrill
George Pendleton
John J. Ready
John F. Ryan
Robert H. Sloan
Donald Webber
Alfred F. Yokubonis

Class Marshal
ALFRED YOKUBONIS

JUNIOR USHERS
Rita O'Neil, Jane Gross, Bernard Dougherty, James Chandler

CURRICULUM ACTIVITIES

STUDENT COURSE DISTRIBUTION

(October 1, 1944)

College	77
Commercial	51
General	26
Manual Training	18
Nurse's Training	17
Home Economics	4
	193

The high school has a 10% enrollment over last year.

VISUAL EDUCATION—On April 17, 1944 the students of Tewksbury High School finished their drive for funds for a movie projector. A 16mm sound projector and an eight by ten foot screen were delivered in November. Several pictures were shown before the end of the year. We plan an extensive program of entertainment and educational film for 1945. Every course will benefit from the showing of good teaching film. We recognize this medium of teaching as a valuable aid to teaching and learning and not as a substitute for our customary procedures.

VOCATIONAL GUIDANCE—High school students were tested, interviewed, and placed in employment. A check on the graduates shows that a large number are satisfied with their present activity. Our program will be continued this year. The State Department of Education has examined our guidance program and given it a Class A classification.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION—Our gym equipment consists of two mats, a set of ropes, and parallel bars. We are planning several additional units which will give us a completely equipped gym. All of our students received a physical examination at the beginning of the year. The physical conditioning program is under the direction of Miss Kathryn Chandler and Mr. Charles Hazel and is doing splendid work in building the bodies and morale of our students.

ART—Our art department completed several hundred menu covers for the Junior Red Cross. All of our posters and signs were made by our artists. Their good work has contributed much to the general appearance and the spirit of the school.

DRAMA—The school play, "Mamma's Little Boy", was presented on April 14, 1944. It was a well acted comedy under the direction of Miss Rita Sullivan.

MUSIC—On May 19, 1944 we enjoyed our annual concert under the direction of Miss Evelyn Mekelatos. We are fortunate in having several exceptionally talented students who lend their support to all our musical activities.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

WAR BOND and STAMP SALE—In April we ended our third consecutive month of 100% student participation in the buying of War Stamps and earned our right to fly the Minute Man Flag. It is necessary to have 90% of student participation in order to keep the flag flying and the entire school is working to maintain our good record.

NATIONAL WAR FUND DRIVE—In October the school was called upon to act as special collecting agents for the Greater Lowell War Fund Drive. In one week the students collected over three times the amount collected in the town last year. Our students proved again that they realize their social responsibilities by their hard work in this campaign.

WASTE PAPER COLLECTIONS—A group of students conducted several waste paper collections with the cooperation of the Town Highway Department. Tons of paper were turned over to paper mills which converted the waste into badly needed supplies for the armed forces.

STUDENT COUNCIL—Our student council was reformed this year to embrace about 25% of the student body. Several important projects are under way which will improve the school when completed.

THE YEAR BOOK—The "Scroll", our senior annual made its initial appearance this year. It was an unusually well built book and speaks well for the work of the students and Miss Catherine Maguire who directed the activity.

THE JUNIOR RED CROSS—Both the Home Economics and the Manual Training departments contributed projects for service hospitals. Students gave their time and skill in the construction of "ditty" bags, tables, and lap boards.

PUBLIC SPEAKING—In order to prepare our student body for debating a course in public speaking was started this year. It is aimed at better student expression and the development of confidence before an audience.

THE SCHOOL MAGAZINE—The students have improved the quality of their literary work in "Hi-Lights", the school magazine, which is published under the direction of Miss Swartz.

TEWKSBURY HIGH SCHOOL

Athletic Association Report

1943-1944

RECEIPTS

September 1, 1943—September 1, 1944

Football	$ 350.55	
Basketball	159.05	
Miscellaneous	49.82	
Total Receipts		$ 559.42
Balance on Hand September 1, 1943		10.60
Total		$ 570.02

EXPENSES

Football	$ 290.27	
Basketball	204.90	
Miscellaneous (Baseball, etc.)	63.43	
Total Expenses		$ 558.60
Balance on Hand September 1, 1944		11.42
Total		$ 570.02

RECEIPTS

September 1, 1944—January 1, 1945

Football	$ 776.06	
Basketball	19.35	
Miscellaneous	14.71	
Total Receipts		$ 810.12
Balance on Hand September 1, 1944		11.42
Total		$ 821.54

EXPENSES

September 1, 1944—January 1, 1945

Football	$ 682.82	
Basketball	12.39	
Miscellaneous	27.34	
Total Expenses		$ 722.55
Balance on Hand January 1, 1945		98.99
Total		$ 821.54

SPORTS—The above report covers all the school activities in sports for 1944. The last year shows the largest football receipts in the past five years. The following is a five year report on football, our major sport;

1940	$470.01
1941	344.20
1942	215.58
1943	350.55
1944	776.06

Much credit must be given to the people who made it possible for our team to secure much needed equipment. The town supported a team which won the Suburban Championship and proved that anything is possible under the right conditions. This was the second consecutive year that no boy was "knocked-out" on the field of play. Our coach, Mr. Hazel, proved that he could produce a championship team as well as condition our boys better that those of any of our opponents.

TEACHING STAFF

CHANGES—The teacher turnover for 1944 was exactly half of that of preceding year. Three teachers have left the system. Miss B. L'Esperance was replaced by Miss A. Moore. Miss Rita Sullivan of Lowell was replaced by Miss Rita Sullivan of Tewksbury. Miss J. Holt was replaced by Mrs. M. Ingrahm. Both the art and music teachers left and their places have been taken by Mrs. E. Andersen and Miss O. Littlehale respectively.

CONCLUSION—The general school spirit and student achievement for the past year are a credit to the town but they would not be possible without the full support of Mr. Stephen Bean, the School Committee, other interested townspeople, the cooperation of the faculty, and the interest of the students.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID O. LYNCH,
Acting Headmaster.

Age-Grade Distribution
October 1, 1944

Gr/Age	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	T
I	38	33	42														77
II		12	44	13	1												70
III			20	39	16	6	1										82
IV				16	38	12	4	2									72
V				1	22	22	10	5	3	1		1					65
VI						24	34	9	2	2			1				72
VII							23	22	13	5							63
VIII						1	2	20	29	8	4	1					65
T	**38**	**45**	**68**	**71**	**77**	**65**	**74**	**58**	**46**	**16**	**4**	**2**	**1**				**566**
IX								2	18	34	16	3					73
X										10	28	6	3				47
XI											14	23	6				43
XII												6	19	5			30
T								2	18	44	58	38	28	5			193
G. T.	**38**	**45**	**68**	**71**	**77**	**65**	**74**	**60**	**64**	**60**	**62**	**40**	**29**	**5**			**759**

School Grade Distribution
October 1, 1944

	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI	XII	T
Ella-Flemings	5	9	2	4	6	2	2	9					39
Foster	39	31	40	32	36	40	34	35					287
Shawsheen	33	36	40	36	23	30	27	21					240
Total	**77**	**70**	**82**	**72**	**65**	**72**	**63**	**65**					**566**
High									73	47	43	30	193
Total	**77**	**70**	**82**	**72**	**65**	**72**	**63**	**65**	**73**	**47**	**43**	**30**	**759**

REPORT OF THE MUSIC SUPERVISOR
ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

To Mr. Stephen G. Bean and

Members of the School Committee.

Dear Sirs and Madam:

The following is my annual report as Music Supervisor in the Elementary Schools.

It is not possible to give a good picture in detail of what we are attempting and doing. We, teachers and I, have worked out a music course which we feel is simple enough to catch the interest of the boys and girls, yet sufficiently educational in content to give understanding, and skill in execution, of music materials and song. I derive great personal satisfaction that it is possible to converse musically within the mental range of each age group while knowing that they are enjoying the fact that these simple musical skills are possible to them. The music period is a time of pleasure as well as study. Not only do they like to sing but they enjoy the recitation periods in rudiments and technicalities. They eagerly vie with one another in answering.

Our music course is where we lay emphasis. By that I mean we stress the teaching of

1. Simple rudiments.
2. Understanding of time.
3. Rhythmic response.
4. An ear for good tonal quality.
5. Reading of syllables with a fair measure of skill.
6. Sense of accurate pitch.

We use various devices to encourage and develop interest.

1. By various types of songs.
2. By projects related to their activities.
3. By class-room awards.

In June each class was given a gold and silver star, according to achievement.

Because music has such strong powers of influence I felt that the thought of the war should be somewhat eliminated from the child consciousness in our class-rooms. This past year we have not stressed war songs. February is always our Patriotic month; to this idea was added January as Rhythmic month. March gave us Dutch life with windmills and tulips, while April and May had "Spring" for a theme. September and October used the Autumn, Harvest and Hallowe'en motif. Realizing that many homes are upset due to war conditions November centered its musical thought around "Love of Home" and Thanksgiving. December always makes use of varied Christmas music. We hope, and believe, that this helped to keep the boys and girls happy and life fairly normal for them in a war-conscious world.

A program of music was given as part of the concert and drama at the Ella E. Flemings School in June. I assisted in the preparation of a musical program given by the pupils from the Shawsheen School at a Parent Teachers' Association meeting this Autumn. The eighth grade was presented in a program of graduation music in June. Our usual "Songfests" and "Musical Matinees" have been carried out. Rhythm orchestras are attempted in all schools.

We find that we are maintaining our standard in most classes. Some are still suffering from loss sustained last year. We shall continue to work to restore it. Other classes have already begun to regain a better standing.

I would like to express my sincere thanks to the teachers for their fine spirit of loyalty and co-operation, and to the boys and girls for the happy attitude which they manifest. I am most grateful to Mr. Bean for his interest.

Respectfully submitted,

ALICE L. STURTEVANT,

Supervisor of Music.

REPORT OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

To the School Committee of the Town of Tewksbury:

Uppermost in my mind as I scan the school work of the past year is our great loss in the passing of Miss Edith Haines, our school nurse. To recount her value to the school department and the town is difficult. She gave of her strength and experience more than anyone not connected with the work could know. Her sympathy and time was given to anyone she thought needed it regardless of whether it was her duty as school nurse or from a pure humanitarian interest. The memory that she left will remain long in the hearts of many Tewksbury homes.

The schools have had an average year as far as the health of the children is concerned. There have been no epidemics of contagious disease and the usual clinics for inoculations and vaccinations have been carried out. Our schools are well fortified now against diphtheria and this past year our patients have been 95% pre school age. Every pupil was given the routine physical examination and report sent the families of needed corrections. In general the past year has been quite average. I heartily endorse any plan to provide any form of hot lunches in our schools.

HERBERT M. LARRABEE, M. D.,

School Physician.

ROSTER OF SCHOOL EMPLOYEES

as of

January 1, 1945

	Name	School or Dept.	Address
Act. Prin.	David Lynch	High	Tewksbury
Teachers	Kathryn Chandler	High—Comm.	Tewksbury
	Catherine Maguire	High—Fr. and Math.	Lowell
	Marjorie Stanley	High—Comm.	Lawrence
	Vera C. Allen (Mrs.)	High—Science	Tewksbury
	Rita Sullivan	High—English	Tewksbury
	Mary P. Keefe	High—Soc. Sc.	Tewksbury
	Arlene Moore	High—Home Ec.	Tewksbury
	Margaret Ingraham (Mrs.)	High—Eng. & Soc. Sc.	No. Billerica
	Lillian Schwartz	High—Latin and Math.	Tewksbury
Principal	Ethelyn Howard	Foster 8	Tewksbury
Teachers	Ruth Lyons (Mrs.)	Foster 7	Lowell
	Elizabeth Flynn	Foster 6	Chelmsford
	Marion Piper	Foster 5	Lowell
	Doris Blake	Foster 4	Wamesit
	Winifred Colbath (Mrs.)	Foster 3	Tewksbury
	Virginia Cunningham	Foster 2	Lowell
	Catherine Meloy	Foster 1	No. Tewksbury
Principal	Margaret Delaney	Shawsheen 8	Lowell
Teachers	Anne Washburne (Mrs.)	Shawsheen 7	Wilmington
	Grace Hobart (Mrs.)	Shawsheen 5-6	Lowell
	Mary Furey	Shawsheen 4	Lowell
	Mae Kane (Mrs.)	Shawsheen 3	Lowell
	Mary Katherina	Shawsheen 2	Tewksbury
	Louise F. Wood	Shawsheen 1	Stoneham
Principal	Eva L. Hersey	Ella Flemings 5-8	No. Tewksbury
Teacher	Helle Generales	Ella Flemings 1-4	Lowell

Supervisors	Evelyn Anderson (Mrs.)	Art	Wilmington
	Olive Littlehale	Music—High	Tyngsboro
	Alice Sturtevant (Mrs.)	Music—Elementary	Lowell
Health	Herbert M. Larrabee, M.D.	Physician	Tewksbury
		Nurse	
Janitors	Homer Darby	High	Tewksbury
	Walter Labelle	Foster	Tewksbury
	George Garland	Shawsheen	Tewksbury
	Bronslaw Kohanski	Ella Flemings No.	Tewksbury
Trans.	Austin French (For Rita Furtado)		Tewksbury
	Fred Garlick		Tewksbury
	Omer Blanchard		No. Tewksbury
Supt.	Stephen G. Bean		Wilmington

SCHOOL CALENDAR 1945

January 2 to February 24—8 weeks
Vacation one week

March 5 to April 28—8 weeks
Vacation one week

May 7 to June 16—6 weeks—Elementary

May 7 to June 23—7 weeks—High School
(if 180 days of school)

Summer vacation—10 weeks

September 5 to December 22—16 weeks
Vacation one week

1946

January 2 to February 22—8 weeks

Holidays

February 22 April 19 October 12 November 22 & 23
Good Friday May 30 November 11

SCHOOL CENSUS

October 1, 1944

	5-7	8-14	15-16	17-21	Total
Boys	89	268	68	170	595
Girls	68	234	79	172	553
Total	157	502	147	342	1,148

Respectfully submitted,

EDITH E. HAINES, R. N.,
Census Taker.

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